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OF
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OF THE
STATE OF NEW JERSEY.

ATLANTIC, The Honorable JOSEPH E. POTTS,		
BERGEN,	"	ABRAHAM HOPPER,
BURLINGTON,	"	JOSEPH SATTERTHWAITE
CAMDEN,	"	THOMAS W. MULFORD,
CAPE MAY,	"	ENOCH EDMUNDS,
CUMBERLAND,	"	REUBEN FITHIAN,
ESSEX,	"	STEPHEN CONGAR,
GLOUCESTER,	"	JOHN BURK,
HUNTERDON,	"	JOHN MANNERS,
HUDSON,	"	ABRAHAM O. ZABRISKIE,
MERCER,	"	WILLIAM C. ALEXANDER,
MONMOUTH,	"	WILLIAM D. DAVIS,
MORRIS,	"	JOHN A. BLEECKER,
MIDDLESEX,	"	EDWARD Y. ROGERS,
OCEAN,	"	SAMUEL BIRDSALL,
PASSAIC,	"	SILAS D. CANFIELD,
SALEM,	"	ALLEN WALLACE,
SOMERSET,	"	MOSES CRAIG,
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WARREN,	"	CHARLES SITGREAVES.

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OF
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

- ATLANTIC—John H. Boyle.
BERGEN—John Huyler, John Zabriskie.
BURLINGTON—John W. Fennimore, Charles Haines, William Brown, Benajah Antrim, Allen Jones.
CAMDEN—J. S. Johnson, J. Kay, Jonathan Day.
CAPE MAY—Joshua Swain, Jr.
CUMBERLAND—David Campbell, Samuel Mayhew.
ESSEX—Thomas McKlirgan, John M. Clark, John B. Clark, John C. Beardsley, Beach Vanderpool, William M. Sanford, Silas Merchant, John Munn, James S. Bell.
GLOUCESTER—Samuel Mayhew, David Campbell.
HUDSON—Edmund T. Parker, Joseph W. Hancox, John Van Vorst.
HUNTERDON—Peter H. Aller, Hiram Bennett, Andrew Vansickle, John R. Young.
MERCER—William Napton, John C. Ward, Jeremiah Vandyke.
MIDDLESEX—James Applegate, Josephus Shann, Robert M. Crowell.
MONMOUTH—William H. Conover, Samuel W. Jones, Garret S. Sinock, Charles Butcher.
MORRIS—C. B. Doremus, C. S. Dickerson, John D. Jackson, Robert Albright.
OCEAN—Joel Haywood.
PASSAIC—Benjamin Geroe, J. S. Fayerweather, George Geroe.
SALEM—Jacob Hitchner, John C. Lammis.
SOMERSET—Eugene S. Doughty, Michael R. Nevius.
SUSSEX—George W. Collver, Aaron K. Stinson, Timothy E. Shay.
WARREN—John Sherrer, David V. C. Crate, John Cline.

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THE SEVENTY-SIXTH SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE.

TRENTON, January 13, 1852.

This being the time and place appointed by the Constitution for the meeting of the Legislature, the following members of the Senate, viz :

The Hon. WM. C. ALEXANDER, of the county of MERCER,

"	JOHN A. BLEECKER,	"	MORRIS,
"	SAMUEL BIRDSALL,	"	OCEAN,
"	SILAS D. CANFIELD,	"	PASSAIC,
"	ENOCH EDMUNDS,	"	CAPE MAY,
"	REUBEN FITZWILLIAM,	"	CUMBERLAND
"	JOSEPH GREER,	"	SUSSEX,
"	JOHN MANNERS,	"	HUNTERDON,
"	JOSEPH E. POTTS,	"	ATLANTIC,
"	EDWARD Y. ROGERS,	"	MIDDLESEX,
"	JOSEPH SATTERTHWAITE,	"	BURLINGTON,
"	ABRAHAM O. ZABRISKIE,	"	HUDSON,

Appeared in their seats.

The Senate having been called to order by Mr. Rodgers, the late Secretary,

Mr. Alexander moved that the Hon. Abraham O. Zabriskie, be appointed President *pro tempore* of the Senate.

Which motion was unanimously agreed to.

The President *pro tempore* having taken the chair,

Mr. Alexander presented the credentials of the Hon. William D. Davis, a Senator from the county of Monmouth :

Which were read and approved, and the oath prescribed by law, having been administered to Mr. Davis by the President *pro tempore*, he took his seat in the Senate.

Mr. Potts presented the credentials of the Hon. Thomas W. Mulford, a Senator from the county of Camden :

Which were read and approved, and the oath prescribed by law, having been administered to Mr. Mulford by the President *pro tempore*, he took his seat in the Senate.

Mr. Rogers presented the credentials of the Hon. Stephen Congar, a Senator from the county of Essex :

Which were read and approved ; and the oath prescribed by law having been duly administered to Mr. Congar by the President *pro tempore*, he took his seat in the Senate.

Mr. Alexander presented the credentials of the Hon. Abraham Hopper, a Senator from the county of Bergen :

Which were read and approved, and the oath prescribed by law, having been administered to Mr. Hopper by the President *pro tempore*, he took a seat in the Senate.

Mr. Canfield presented the credentials of the Hon. Charles Sitgreaves, a Senator from the county of Warren :

Which were read and approved ; and the oath prescribed by law, having been administered to Mr. Sitgreaves, by the President *pro tempore*, he took his seat in the Senate.

Mr. Bleecker presented the credentials of the Hon. Allen Wallace, a Senator from the county of Salem :

Which were read and approved ; and the oath prescribed by law having been administered to Mr. Wallace, by the President *pro tempore*, he took his seat in the Senate.

Mr. Potts presented the credentials of the Hon. John Burk, a Senator from the county of Gloucester :

Which were read and approved ; and the oath prescribed by law, having been administered to Mr. Burk by the President *pro tempore*, he took his seat in the Senate.

Mr. Mauners presented the credentials of the Hon. Moses Craig, a Senator from the county of Somerset :

Which were read and approved ; and the affirmation prescribed by law, having been administered to Mr. Craig, by the President *pro tempore*, he took his seat in the Senate.

The newly elected members of the Senate having been all sworn or affirmed,

The Senate proceeded to the choice of a President for the present session.

Whereupon,

Mr. Bleecker nominated the Hon. JOHN MANNERS, of the county of Hunterdon : and

Mr. Satterthwaite nominated the Hon. EDWARD Y. ROGERS, of the county of Middlesex :

When the Senate being called, the vote stood as follows :

For the Hon. JOHN MANNERS,
Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace.—12.

For the Hon. EDWARD Y. ROGERS,
Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Satterthwaite, Zabriskie.—6.

The Hon. John Manners having received the majority of the votes of Senators, was declared by the President *pro tempore*, to be duly elected President of the Senate for the present session,

And was conducted to the chair by Messrs. Rogers and Bleecker.

Upon assuming the chair, the President addressed the Senate as follows :

Allow me, gentlemen, in taking this chair, to offer you my profound acknowledgments for the high honor done me in electing me to preside over your deliberations. I attribute it altogether to your kindness of feeling, rather than to any merits of my own, and I feel I shall greatly need your generous and kind indulgence in the discharge of the duties that may devolve upon me ; unaided, as I am, by much Legislative experience. But it shall be my constant endeavor to discharge the duties of this chair with diligence, impartiality, and faithfully ; honestly esteeming that, the best atonement I can make, for want of a greater experience.

There is much important business likely to come before us. And in the discharge of our respective duties, I hope all party distinctions will be forgotten, and that the public good may be the sole object of all our deliberations.

And may that courtesy, kindness of feeling, and harmony prevail during our session, which has heretofore so pre-eminently distinguished this Legislative hall.

The Senate then proceeded to the choice of a Secretary.

Whereupon,

Mr. Bleecker nominated Samuel A. Allen, of the county of Salem; and

Mr. Satterthwaite nominated John Rodgers, of the county of Burlington.

When the Senate being called, the votes were as follows:

For SAMUEL A. ALLEN,

Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Grear, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace.—13.

For JOHN ROGERS,

Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Zabriskie.—7.

Samuel A. Allen, having received a majority of the votes of Senators, was declared by the President to be duly elected Secretary of the Senate, and having taken and subscribed the prescribed oath, he took his seat at the table.

On motion of Mr. Bleecker, Marston D. Trefren was appointed Engrossing Clerk of the Senate.

On motion of the same gentleman, George T. Smith was appointed Sergeant-at-Arms, and Door Keeper of the Senate.

Mr. Alexander offered the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has met, formed a quorum, elected the Hon. John Manners, of the county of Hunterdon, President, and Samuel A. Allen, of the county of Salem, Secretary, and has proceeded to business.

Which was read and agreed to.

Mr. Potts offered the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That when the Senate adjourns, it adjourn to meet to-morrow morning at ten o'clock, which shall be the stated hour for the morning session, until otherwise ordered.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication:

To the Legislature:—

The undersigned respectfully report that in obedience to the provisions of a concurrent resolution, adopted on the 18th of March, 1851, the advertised for proposals to supply stationery for the use of the Legislature and the Public Offices, for

the current year, that several bids were made for the contract, according to the samples furnished, and that such awards were made as were considered most advantageous for the State. The bills therefore, will be submitted to the Committee on Incidental Expenses.

For determining upon the articles to be furnished, the undersigned consulted the incidental bills of former years, and have not therefore introduced anything new.

The quality of the goods, it is believed, will meet the approbation of the Legislature, and the prices are much reduced in comparison with any previous bill.

The contractors are required to furnish any additional quantity required for the public use, at the same favorable rates.

All which is respectfully submitted.

THO'S. S. ALLISON,
Secretary of State.

R. M. SMITH,
Treasurer.

TRENTON, January 13, 1852.

Which was read, when

Mr. Alexander offered the following Resolutions:

RESOLVED, That the Secretary of Senate be directed to receive the Stationary purchased for the use of the Senate, and under his direction, that the same be distributed among the members.

RESOLVED, In case any further quantity be required, the same shall be procured upon the written order of the said Secretary from the contractor, at the prices agreed upon, and that these orders be delivered to the Committee on Incidental Expenses, before the account be allowed.

Which were severally read and agreed to.

Mr. Alexander offered the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That the rules of the last session be considered as the rules of the present session, until others be adopted.

Which was read and agreed to.

Mr. Sitgreaves offered the following resolution:-

RESOLVED, That the morning sessions of the Senate be

opened with prayer ; and that the clergymen of Trenton and its vicinity, be requested to perform that duty.

Which was read and agreed to, and

Messrs. Sitgreaves and Rogers were appointed a Committee on that subject.

On motion of Mr. Bleecker,

The Senate then adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14, 1852.

At ten o'clock, the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Starr.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, the Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly have met, formed a quorum, and elected John Huyler, of the county of Bergen, Speaker of the House, and David Naar, of the county of Essex, Clerk, and have proceeded to business,

And that the House of Assembly has adopted the following concurrent resolution :

Resolved, (Senate concurring,) That a Committee of the Senate and Assembly be appointed to wait on the Governor, and inform him that both Houses have met and organized, and are ready to receive any communications he may be pleased to make.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And that the House of Assembly has appointed as the committee to wait on the Governor, Messrs. Doughty and Brown.

The concurrent resolution from the House of Assembly, relative to the appointing of a committee to wait upon the Governor and inform him of the organization of both Houses of the Legislature,

Was taken up, read, and concurred in, and Messrs. Canfield and Zabriskie, appointed said committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in said resolutions, from the House of Assembly, and appointed said committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Sitgreaves gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A joint resolution, entitled
 "Joint resolution in relation to Governor Kossuth, and the doctrine of national non-intervention."

Mr. Potts gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled

An act to incorporate "The Camden and Atlantic Turnpike Company."

Mr. Congar gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

An act entitled

"A supplement to an act entitled An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company."

Mr. Potts offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the State Treasurer be directed to furnish each new member of the Senate, and the Secretary, with a copy of the Revised Statutes.

Which was read and agreed to.

Mr. Canfield presented Resolutions from the President and Council of the city of Paterson, praying for the passage of

An act of the Legislature of this State, authorizing the President and Council of this city, or Commissioners, to relay and adjust the streets therein.

And also,

For the passage of

An act authorizing the city of Paterson, to elect two Chosen Freeholders for each Ward in said city, or to reduce the number of Freeholders in the county of Passaic, so that each town-

ship in the county, and each Ward in the city, shall elect one Chosen Freeholder.

And also,

For the passage of

An act authorizing the city of Paterson to erect a Poor House, and be relieved from the necessity of contributing to the expense of any county Poor House, which may hereafter be erected.

Which were read and ordered to be laid upon the table.

Mr. Canfield gave notice, that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to set off a new township from the township of Harrison, in the county of Hudson, and to annex the same to the county of Bergen.

The President announced the following Joint Committees on the part of the Senate.

On the Treasurer's Accounts.—Messrs. Greer and Rogers.

On the State Prison Accounts.—Messrs. Blecker and Satterthwaite.

On the Library.—Messrs. Mulford and Congar.

On the Public Printing.—Messrs. Davis and Birdsall.

On Passed Bills.—Messrs. Sitgreaves and Edmunds.

On the Lunatic Asylum.—Messrs. Canfield and Zabriskie

On the Public Grounds.—Messrs. Potts and Fithian.

Mr. Canfield, from the Joint Committee to wait upon the Governor and inform him that the two Houses have met, organized, and were ready to receive any communication he might be pleased to make,

Reported, That the Committee had performed that duty, and that they were instructed to inform the Senate that the Gov-

enor would communicate with both Houses by Message, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. Bleecker offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourns, it adjourn to meet again at 3 o'clock this afternoon, which shall be the stated hour of the afternoon session, until otherwise ordered.

Which was read and agreed to.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication :

JANUARY 14, 1852.

HON. JOHN MANNERS,

President of the Senate :

We respectfully invite the President and members of the Senate, to attend a meeting to be held this evening, at seven and a half o'clock, in the Front street Methodist Church, in behalf of the cause of Hungary.

Your obedient servants,

JAMES T. SHERMAN,

SAM'L. R. HAMILTON,

E. H. GRANDIN,

Com. of Arrangements.

Which was read, and

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The invitation was accepted by the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Greer,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

The President announced the following Standing Committees of the Senate.

Judiciary.—Messrs. Alexander, Zabriskie, and Canfield.

Corporations.—Messrs. Potts, Zabriskie, and Mulford.

Education.—Messrs. Bleecker, Congar, and Hopper.

Unfinished Business.—Messrs. Greer, Fithian, and Craig.

Finance.—Messrs. Canfield, Rogers, and Davis.

Elections.—Messrs. Mulford, Edmunds, and Wallace.

Agriculture.—Messrs. Satterthwaite, Greer, and Burk.

Militia.—Messrs. Davis, Fithian, and Greer.

Claims and Pensions.—Messrs. Sitgreaves, Birdsall, and Alexander.

Miscellaneous Business.—Messrs. Rogers, Wallace, and Sitgreaves.

Engrossed Bills.—Messrs. Hopper, Potts, and Sitgreaves.

The following Message, with the accompanying Documents, was received from his Excellency, the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esquire, his private Secretary.

[For Governor's Message, and Accompanying Documents, see Appendix A.]

Message having been read by the Secretary,

Mr. Alexander offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That one thousand copies of the Message and accompanying documents be printed for the use of the Senate.

Which was read and agreed to.

Mr. Mulford offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the documents accompanying the Governor's Message, be referred to the Judiciary Committee, for the purpose of selecting those to be printed with the Message, and those to be printed separately.

Which was read and agreed to. !

Mr. Bleecker offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That so much of the Governor's message a re-

lates to the revision of the laws of this State be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Zabriskie asked to be excused from service upon the Committee on Corporations, and

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the request was granted.

The President then appointed Mr. Congar on the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Alexander offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That so much of the Governor's Message, as relates to the subject of the Banks of this State, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which was read and agreed to.

Mr. Congar offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That so much of the Governor's Message, as refers to the subject of Education, be referred to the Committee on Education.

Which was read and agreed to.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication.

TRENTON, January 13, 1852.

TO THE HONORABLE,

The President of the Senate :

In pursuance of a resolution of the citizens of Trenton, adopted on the evening of the 13th of December, we have the honor to transmit to you the following resolutions, with a request that the same may be laid before the Senate.

Very respectfully, Yours, &c.,

FRANKLIN S. MILLS.

Resolved, That international law has for its object the welfare, safeguard, and protection of the nations of the earth; that the strong may not oppress the weak; that the rights of each may be defined, admitted, and respected; the prosperity and happiness of all promoted; that wars, so destructive to both in moral and natural results, may be avoided, and each community be left to pursue the arts of peace in the ways of its choice, undisturbed.

Resolved, That there is no principle of international law more important, or which should be held more sacred than the inherent, inalienable, and indefeasible right of every nation to adopt, change, alter, and amend their own form of government, according to their pleasure, without intervention or interference, either by force or diplomacy, from any other nation of the earth; and so all-pervading is this principle, that it cannot be invaded with impunity, without the whole code suffering in all its parts.

Resolved, That it is the bounden duty of all the independent nations of the earth, to seek to maintain, at all times, by all the moral influence they possess, in full force, and unimpaired, the great principle above announced; and that more particularly does it become the dignity and positions of the nations ranking as the first powers of the earth, to guard this great principle from invasion; and in case any ambitious government should, in disregard of the expressed opinions of the other nations of the earth, in open violation of the great international code, and in manifest wrong, attempt to substitute the sword and brute force for the law of nations, and by arms endeavor to impose upon the people of any nation a government, contrary to their choice, it is the grave and imperative duty of all other civilized nations, and more particularly those called first powers, to signify their displeasure at such conduct, in such way as the offence perpetrated, the sacred nature of the law broken, and the dignity of nations demand.

Resolved, That these United States have risen to the dignity and importance of a first power among nations, and cannot, in honor, decline to assume the responsibilities of its national greatness.

Resolved, That in the assertion of a great right, we mean to give, and need to give no offence to any quarter, but that duty and national honor require that the right be asserted and maintained.

Resolved, That we deeply sympathise with injured Hungary, and that we are willing to afford her pleading Chief, that material aid which he implores; that we stand ready to advise and to join in a general movement throughout the country to that end.

WILLIAM P. SHERMAN,
Chairman.

FRANKLIN S. MILLS, *Secretary.*

Which were read, and ordered to lie upon the table,

On motion of Mr. Edmunds,
The Senate then adjourned.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, 1852.

At ten o'clock, the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer, by the Rev. Mr. Craig.

Mr. Potts asked to be excused from service upon the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and

On motion,
The request was granted.

The President then appointed Mr. Birdsall upon the Committee upon Engrossed Bills.

Mr. Alexander gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce a bill entitled,

An act authorizing preemptory challenges of jurors in certain cases.

Mr. Canfield presented the petition of John Vail, and others, Trustees of the Peace, in the county of Passaic, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, authorizing Trustees of the Peace to take the acknowledgments and proof of Deeds, &c., during their term of office.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Zabriskie presented the report of the Commissioners appointed in relation to supplying the townships of Hoboken,

and Van Vorst, and Jersey City, with pure and wholesome water.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie, it was

Ordered, That two hundred copies thereof be printed for the use of the Legislature.

Mr. Wallace presented the memorial of Robert Gynne, an inhabitant of the county of Salem, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to pay to him a balance of one-fourth of the compensation allowed by law for printing the Journals of the two Houses, which balance has been withheld by the State Treasurer, in pursuance of law.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Claims and Pensions.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, the Clerk, informed the Senate that the House has adopted the following concurrent resolution :

"Resolved, (Senate concurring,) That so much of the Governor's Message as relates to Banks and the Banking System, be referred to a Special Joint Committee of five members of Assembly, and two members of the Senate.

"That so much of it as refers to the dividing the State into Congressional and Legislative Districts, be referred to a Joint Committee of five members of Assembly, and two of the Senate."

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And that the House has appointed as Committees on the part of the House,

On Banks and the Banking System.—Messrs. John M. Clark, Fayerweather, Haywood, Antrim, and Butcher.

On the House of Refuge.—Messrs. Carpenter, Yoting, Beardsley, Brown, and Fennimore.

On the Division of the State into Congressional and Legislative Districts.—Messrs. Mills, T. B. Clark, Van Vorst, Antrim and Haines.

I am further directed to inform the Senate that the following

Standing Committees have been appointed by the House, to wit :

On Treasurer's Accounts.—

Messrs. Vansickle,
Dickinson,
Vanderpool,
Vanvorst,
Laroe.

On State Prison.—

Messrs. Doughty,
Conover,
Beardsley,
Brown,
Shann.

On the Lunatic Asylum.—

Messrs. Jackson,
Zabriskie,
Haywood,
Boyle,
Conover.

On Public Printing.—

Messrs. Zabriskie,
Johnson,
Tatem,
Merchant,
Nevius.

On Library.—

Messrs. T. M. Clark,
Lummis,
Sandford,
Antrim,
Ward.

On the Public Grounds and Buildings.—

Messrs. Napton,
Day,
Swain,
Munn,
Aller,

On Passed Bills.—

Messrs. Vandkye,
Jones.

of And that the Senate is requested to appoint corresponding committees.

DAVID NAAR, *Clerk.*

Mr. Burk presented the petition of Peter Beckett and others, inhabitants of the county of Gloucester, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State to authorize the lower meadow company on the west side of Raccoon Creek, to elect one of their number to act as clerk of said company.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Davis presented the petition of John T. Lewis, and others, stockholders of the Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and inhabitants of the county of Monmouth, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, altering the name and title of said company, from the Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company, to the Eatontown Mutual Fire Insurance company.

Which was read and referred to the committee on corporations.

The same gentleman presented the petition of William Morford, and others, inhabitants of the township of Middletown, in the county of Monmouth, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to empower the chosen freeholders, or citizens of said county, to build a bridge across Compton's Creek, in said township.

Which was read and referred to the committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. Canfield presented the petition of George Kingsland and others, inhabitants of the township of Harrison, in the county of Hudson, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to create a new township from the township of Harrison, to embrace all that part of said township lying north of the centre of the Belville Turnpike, (being about the middle of said township) to be called the township of Union, and to annex said new township to the county of Bergen.

Which was read and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication :

TRENTON, January 15, 1852.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE
President of the Senate :—

SIR—

In behalf of the New Jersey Historical Society, I beg leave through you to invite the Honorable body over which you preside, to attend its meeting at Temperance Hall, in this city, at 12 o'clock to-day.

I have the honor to be, sir,

Your ob't. servant.

W. A. WHITEHEAD,
Corresponding Sec'y.

Which was read, and
On motion of Mr. Alexander,
The invitation was accepted by the Senate.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication :

The congregation meeting in the Second Baptist Church, Hanover street, Trenton, respectfully invite the gentlemen of the Senate to attend Divine Worship with them on the Sabbath days during their sojourn in the city.

Services at eleven o'clock in the morning, and seven in the evening.

JOHN BERG,
Minister pro tem.

116 East State street, }
January 14. 1852. }

Which was read, and
On motion of Mr. Alexander,
The invitation was accepted.

Mr. Bleecker offered the following resolution :

Resolved. That when the Senate adjourns, it adjourn to meet at ten o'clock to-morrow morning, in order to give the members of the Senate an opportunity to attend the meeting of the New Jersey Historical Society, to be held this day.

Which was read and agreed to.

Mr. Sitzreaves, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

Joint Resolutions entitled

Joint Resolutions in relation to Governor Kossuth, and the doctrine of national non-intervention.

Which were read for the first time, by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Canfield, in pursuance of notice given yesterday asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The same gentleman, in pursuance of notice given yesterday asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to set off a new township from the township of Harrison, in the county of Hudson, and to annex the same to the county of Bergen.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Pithian gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the West Jersey Academy.

Mr. Mulford gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act securing to mechanics and others, payment for their labor and materials in erecting any house or other building within the limits therein mentioned, approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

Mr. Congar, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

— A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February the twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would, on tomorrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act supplementary to, and amendatory of, an act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Exploring and Mining Company," passed February fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Mr. Mulford offered the following Resolution :

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to report rules for the regulation of the Senate, during the present session.

Which was read and agreed to.

The President then appointed Messrs. Mulford, Edmunds, and Craig, said committee.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to which had been referred, the

Joint Resolutions entitled,

Joint Resolutions in relation to Governor Kossuth, and the doctrine of national non-intervention,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Potts moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, was as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fishman, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie.—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Craig, Davis, Hopper, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace.—8.

So said motion was agreed to, and
The Senate thereupon adjourned.

FRIDAY, January 16, 1852.

At ten o'clock, the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Rusling.

The message from the House of Assembly, which was laid upon the table yesterday, was taken up, and the concurrent Resolutions adopted.

The President announced the following Special Joint Committees of the Senate in concurrence with the resolution from the House of Assembly:

On so much of the Governor's Message as relates to Banking—Messrs. Sitgreaves and Zabriskie.

On so much of the Message as relates to the House of Refuge—Messrs. Greer and Edmunds.

On so much of the Message as relates to the Districting the State—Messrs. Craig and Birdsall.

Mr. Alexander presented the petition of Paul Tulane, and others, citizens of New Jersey, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, appointing Commissioners with authority to report such bills as to them shall seem practicable and expedient, and calculated to reform and improve the laws, and simplify and abridge the practice and proceedings of the Courts of Justice of this State.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Zabriskie gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery."

The same gentleman gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled

An act to authorize the partition of lands in cases where particular undivided shares therein are limited over.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled

An act authorizing peremptory challenges of Jurors in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The same gentleman offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Committee on Finance be discharged from the further consideration of that part of the Governor's Message, relating to the Banks of this State.

Which was read and agreed to.

Mr. Alexander, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the documents accompanying the Governor's Message, with instructions to report which of said documents, and what number of them, should be printed for the use of the Senate, reported as follows :

The Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the documents accompanying the Governor's Message, with instructions to determine which of said documents, and what number of them, should be printed for the use of the Senate, beg leave to report :

That they recommend that the following of said documents be printed, in connection with the message.

The report of the Commissioners of Pilotage.

The report of the Moral Instructor of the State Prison.

The report of the Commissioners of the House of Refuge.

Statement of the location and condition of the Banks which have gone into operation under the General Law.

They recommend that the report of the Keeper of the State Prison be printed with the report of the Joint Committee on that Institution.

That the report on the Lunatic Asylum be printed with the report of the Joint Committee on that Institution.

And that the other documents accompanying the Message be not printed, except in the Journal of the Senate.

Which was read and agreed to.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to alter the north-western boundary of the city of Trenton.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, the Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following preamble, and concurrent resolution, viz :

WHEREAS, the right of every country to frame its own form of government, without any interference of foreign powers, is, and ought to be recognized and upheld by all civilized governments, as a doctrine of international law which is binding upon all nations, and should be enforced and upheld by all.

AND WHEREAS, in the late struggle of Hungary for national existence, against the power of the House of Hapsburg, this great international law has been violated by the despotic power of Russia; and whereas, in the maintaining of this law all nations are interested, and free governments particularly so, therefore,

1. *Be it Resolved*, (if the Senate concur,) That we deem it the duty of the Federal Government, at all times, to protest against the interference of any nation in the domestic concerns of any other nation, and if any further intervention shall at any time be threatened, or made by the government of Russia, with the political affairs of Hungary, or in the efforts of the Hungarians to re-establish such a form of government as they shall deem most for their interest, that the Federal Govern-

ment may, in conjunction with other governments who may be willing to unite, or by itself, if none others will, lawfully interfere and prevent such interference.

2. *Be it Resolved*, (if the Senate concur,) That in Louis Kossuth, Governor of Hungary, we recognize a pure patriot, and the able and eloquent expounder of Constitutional rights and liberties, that we tender to him our sympathy, in the disappointments of the past, and our ardent hopes, by the blessing of that Divine Providence in which he trusts, that all his future efforts for the liberation of his native land from despotic sway, may be crowned with success, and that his people, now dispersed and down-trodden, may yet be able to return to the land of their love, under the protecting care of a constitutional government, erected by themselves.

3. *Be it Resolved*, (if the Senate concur,) That the Governor be requested to invite Governor Kossuth to visit Trenton and address the Legislature, at his earliest convenience.

4. *Be it Resolved*, (if the Senate concur,) That copies of these Resolutions, duly authenticated, be transmitted to the President of the United States, Governor Kossuth, and to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Which was read, and ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Mulford, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act securing to mechanics and others, payment for their labor and materials in erecting any house or other building within the limits therein mentioned," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time, by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Congar, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act supplementary to, and amendatory to, an act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Exploring and Mining

Company," passed February fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate The Manufacturer's Fire and Marine Insurance Company of Newark, New Jersey.

Mr. Fithian, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the West Jersey Academy.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Mulford, from the committee on Rules, reported the following:

The committee to report rules for the regulation of the Senate during the present session,

• Beg leave to report the Rules of the last session, with an amendment to the tenth rule, adding "a Committee on Municipal Corporations," to the Standing Committees of the Senate.

RULES.

1. The President having taken the Chair, a quorum being present, the journal of the preceeding day shall be read, to the end that any mistake therein may be corrected.

2. The President shall not engage in any public debate, without leave of the Senate, except so far as shall be necessary for regulating the form of proceeding; but shall, on all occasions, support the strictest order, agreeably to these rules.

3. No member shall interrupt the business of the Senate by entering into private conversation during a debate, or whilst any business is before the Senate that requires the general attention.

4. Every member that rises to speak shall address himself to the President, and when any two members shall rise at the same time, the President shall determine which shall speak first.

5. No member shall speak in any debate without rising, nor more than three times on any one subject of debate, unless he first obtain leave of the Senate; and no motion shall be debated until the same shall be seconded.

6. When a motion shall be made and seconded, it shall be reduced to writing, if desired by the President or any member, and delivered to the Secretary, at his table, and read before the same shall be debated.

7. The members, during a debate, shall keep their seats, except the member who rises to speak; and in all debates and proceedings, the members shall keep themselves within the strictest rules of decorum.

8. The consent of a majority of the members present shall be sufficient to engross or re-engross any bill or joint resolution.

tion; but no bill or joint resolution shall pass, unless there be a majority of all the members of the Senate personally present and agreeing thereto; and the yeas and nays of members voting on the final passage of any such bill or joint resolution, shall be entered on the journal; and the like entry on any other question shall be made at the desire of any one member.

9. All committees shall be appointed by the President, unless otherwise ordered by the Senate.

10. The following standing committees shall be appointed at the commencement of each session, until otherwise ordered:

- ▲ Committee on the Judiciary.
- ▲ Committee on Finance.
- ▲ Committee on Elections.
- ▲ Committee on Corporations.
- ▲ Committee on Municipal Corporations.
- ▲ Committee on Agriculture.
- ▲ Committee on Education.
- ▲ Committee on the Militia.
- ▲ Committee on Claims and Revolutionary Pensions.
- ▲ Committee on Miscellaneous Business.
- ▲ Committee on Unfinished Business.

A Committee on Engrossed Bills, whose duty it shall be to examine all bills and joint resolutions before they shall be put upon their third reading, and who shall report the same to the Senate, and the Secretary shall enter upon the journal that the same have been correctly engrossed;

Which several committees shall consist of three members each.

The following committees, of two members each, shall be also appointed to act jointly with corresponding committees to be appointed by the House of Assembly:

- ▲ Committee on the Treasurer's Accounts.
- ▲ Committee on the State Prison.
- ▲ Committee on the Lunatic Asylum.
- ▲ Committee on Public Printing.
- ▲ Committee on the Library.
- ▲ Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

A Committee on Passed Bills, as required by joint rule number six.

11. All motions entered on the journal of the Senate, shall be entered in the names of those who make them.

12. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received but to adjourn, to lie on the table, to postpone indefinitely, to postpone to a day certain, to commit, or to amend; which several motions shall have precedence in the order they stand arranged; and the motion for adjournment shall always be in order, except when a vote is being taken, and decided without debate.

13. If the question in debate contain several points, any member may have the same divided; but on a motion to strike out and insert, it shall not be in order to move for a division of the question; but the rejection of a motion to strike out and insert one proposition, shall not prevent a motion to strike out and insert a different proposition; nor prevent a subsequent motion simply to strike out; nor shall the rejection of a motion to simply strike out, prevent a subsequent motion to strike out and insert.

14. The unfinished business in which the Senate was engaged at the last preceding adjournment shall have the preference in the special orders of the day.

15. On a motion made and seconded to shut the doors of the Senate, on the discussion of any business which may, in the opinion of a member, require secrecy, the President shall direct the Chamber to be cleared; and during the discussion of such motion, the doors shall remain shut.

16. When an amendment, made in the Senate, to a bill from the House of Assembly is disagreed to by that House, and not adhered to in the Senate, the bill shall be considered as standing on a third reading.

17. When a question has been once made and carried in the affirmative or negative, it shall be in order for any member of the majority to move for a reconsideration thereof; but no motion for the reconsideration of any vote shall be in order after a bill, resolution, message, report, amendment or motion, upon which the vote was taken, shall have gone out of the possession of the Senate, announcing their decision; nor shall any motion for reconsideration be in order, unless made on the

same day or the next day of actual session of the Senate thereafter.

18. When any question may have been decided by the Senate, in which three-fifths of the members elected are required to carry the affirmative, any member who voted with the majority may move for a reconsideration; and such motion shall be decided by a majority of votes cast.

19. When the Senate are equally divided, the Secretary shall take the decision of the President, unless he has once voted.

20. The President shall have the right to name a member to perform the duties of the Chair, but such substitution shall not extend beyond one day.

21. After the journal is read, the President shall first call for petitions, and then for reports of Standing Committees; and every petition or memorial or other paper, shall be referred of course, without putting a question for that purpose, unless the reference is objected to by a member at the time such petition, memorial, or other paper, is presented.

22. When a member shall be called to order by the President or a Senator, he shall sit down; and every question of order shall be decided by the President without debate, subject to an appeal to the Senate; and the President may call for the sense of the Senate on any question of order.

23. One day's notice at least shall be given of an intended motion for leave to bring in a bill or joint resolution; and all public bills and joint resolutions shall, after the first reading, be printed for the use of the Senate; but no other paper or document shall be printed without special order, except private bills, as provided in the next rule.

24. No private bill shall be read a second time, unless printed copies thereof, procured by the applicants, be in possession of the Senate.

25. Every bill and joint resolution shall receive three readings, previous to its being passed; and the President shall give notice at each, whether it be the first, second, or third; which readings shall be on three different days.

26. No bill shall be committed or amended, until it shall have been ordered a second reading; after which it may be referred to a committee.

27. All bills may be made the order of a particular day, and public bills, when called for, shall have the preference of private bills, which, (when two or more shall be called for by members,) shall be taken up according to their seniority, reckoning from the date of their introduction into the Senate.

28. All bills and special reports of committees shall be numbered by the Secretary as they are severally introduced, and a list made of the same, and such bills and reports called up for consideration by the President in their order, subject to postponement, nevertheless, for the purpose of taking up any other bill or report which the Senate may order to be considered in preference.

29. No member shall be suffered to have his vote recorded on any question, when the yeas and nays are called, unless he be present to answer to his name; and no member shall be permitted to change his vote without the unanimous consent of the members present, unless he, at the time, declares that he voted under a mistake of the question.

30. On filling up blanks, the question shall be first taken on the largest sum, the greatest number, the most distant day.

31. A majority of the members of the Senate shall constitute a quorum for legislation, and whenever a less number than a quorum shall convene at a regular meeting, and shall adjourn, the names of those present shall be entered on the journal.

32. When a less number than a quorum of the Senate shall convene at any regular meeting, they are hereby authorized to send their Sergeant-at-Arms, or any other person or persons by them authorized, for any or all absent members.

33. When a memorial is referred to a committee, (praying for an act of incorporation,) the committee shall not have leave to report a bill, nor shall a bill be introduced by any member, unless evidence is exhibited to the Senate that the application for such an act has been advertised according to law.

34. Messages shall be sent to the House of Assembly by the Secretary.

35. Messages may be delivered at any stage of business, except when a question is being taken.

36. When a bill or resolution that has passed the Senate, shall be carried to the House of Assembly, all papers and dec-

uments relating thereto on the files of the Senate, shall be carried by the Secretary with such bill or resolution, to the House of Assembly.

37. The final question upon the second reading of every bill or joint resolution, originating in the Senate, shall be whether it shall be engrossed and read a third time; and no amendment shall be received at the third reading, unless by unanimous consent of the members present; but it shall be in order before the final passage of any such bill or joint resolution, to move its recommitment; and should such recommitment take place, and any amendment be reported by the committee, the said bill or resolution shall be again read a second time, and considered, and the aforesaid question again put.

38. The titles of bills, and such parts thereof only as shall be effected by proposed amendments, shall be inserted on the journal.

39. When motions are made for reference of the same subject to a select committee and to a standing committee, the question of reference to a standing committee shall be first put.

40. No standing rule or order of the Senate shall be suspended unless by the assent of a majority of the members elected, nor rescinded or amended but by the same number; and that one day's notice be given of the motion for rescission or amendment.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

41. When nominations shall be made by the Governor to the Senate, a future day shall be assigned for their consideration, unless the Senate unanimously direct otherwise.

42. When acting on Executive business, the Senate shall be cleared of all persons, except the Senators and Secretary.

43. All information or remarks touching or concerning the character or qualifications of any person nominated by the Governor to office, shall be kept secret.

44. The Legislative and Executive proceedings of the Senate shall be kept in separate and distinct books.

45. All nominations approved by the Senate, or otherwise definitely acted on, shall be transmitted by the Secretary to the Governor, with the determination of the Senate thereon,

from day to day, as such proceedings may occur ; but no further extract from the Executive Journal shall be furnished, published, or otherwise communicated, except by special order of the Senate.

Which was read, and

Unanimously agreed to.

On motion of the same gentleman, one hundred copies were ordered to be printed for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Congar offered the following concurrent Resolution:

Resolved, (the House of Assembly concurring,) That a Joint Committee of both Houses, be appointed to prepare and report Joint Rules for the regulation of the Senate and General Assembly ; and that the Joint Rules adopted at the last session, be the Rules for the government of both Houses, until otherwise ordered.

Which was read and agreed to, and

Messrs. Mulford and Congar appointed said committee, on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the said Resolution, and of the appointment of said committee, and request their concurrence, and the appointment of a similar committee on the part of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Craig offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That all documents, bills, or other papers, ordered to be printed by the Senate, be delivered at the State House, and that the receipt of the Secretary of the Senate for the whole number of copies ordered, shall be necessary, before the bill for the same shall be allowed by the Incidental Committee.

Which was read and agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock, the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander presented the petition of Edward T. C. Atterbury, an inhabitant of the county of Mercer, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, altering the present boundaries of the city of Trenton, so that his farm may be annexed to the township of Ewing, which it now adjoins.

Which was read, and

On motion of the same gentleman, ordered to lie on the table.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, the Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly had concurred in the resolution from the Senate, for the appointment of a Joint Committee of both Houses to prepare and report rules for the regulation of the Senate and General Assembly, and that the Joint Rules adopted at the last Session, be the rules for the government of both Houses, until otherwise ordered.

And that the House of Assembly has appointed as the committee of the House on the same,

Messrs. Dickinson, Laroe, and Tatem.

Mr. Alexander, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred the petition of John Vail and others, Justices of the Peace, in the county of Passaic, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, authorizing Justices of the Peace to take the acknowledgment and proof of Deeds, &c., during their term of office, reported adversely to the prayer of the petitioners.

Which report was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee to whom was referred the resolution of the Senate requesting the clergymen of Trenton and its vicinity to open the morning session with prayer,

Report, that the following clergymen have been requested to officiate, in the following order :

1st week of the Session,			
2d	"	Rev. Mr. Starr,	
3d	"	"	Cuyler,
4th	"	"	Rogers,
5th	"	"	Hall,
6th	"	"	Berg,
7th	"	"	Reed,
8th	"	"	Markin,
9th	"	"	Green,
10th	"	"	Morrel,
11th	"	"	Clemens,
12th	"	"	Busling,

Which was read and accepted.

Mr. Mulford, from the Joint Committee to prepare and report Joint Rules for the regulation of the Senate and General Assembly, reported the following:

JOINT RULES AND ORDERS OF BOTH HOUSES.

1. In every case of an amendment of a bill agreed to in one house and dissented to in the other, if either house shall request a conference, and appoint a committee for that purpose, and the other house shall also appoint a committee to confer, such committees shall, at a convenient hour to be agreed on by their respective chairmen, meet in conference, and state to each other verbally, or in writing, as either shall choose, the reasons of their respective houses for and against the amendment, and confer freely thereon.

2. After each house shall have adhered to their disagreement, a bill or resolution is lost.

3. When a bill or resolution which shall have passed in one house, is rejected in the other, notice thereof shall be sent to the house in which the same may have passed.

4. Each house, in which any bill or resolution shall have

passed, shall transmit therewith to the other house, all papers and documents relating to the same.

5. When a message shall be sent from either house to the other, it shall be announced at the door of the house by the door-keeper, and shall be respectively communicated to the Chair by the person by whom it may be sent.

6. After a bill shall have passed both houses, it shall be delivered by the Clerk of the Assembly, or the Secretary of the Senate, as the bill may have originated in the one house or the other, to a *Joint Committee on Passed Bills*, of two from each house, appointed as a standing committee for that purpose, and shall be presented by the said committee to the Governor for his approbation, it being first endorsed on the back of the bill, certifying in which house the same originated: which endorsement shall be signed by the Secretary or Clerk, as the case may be, of the house in which the same did originate, and shall be entered on the journal of each house. The said Committee shall report the day of presentation to the Governor; which time shall also be carefully entered on the journal of each house.

Which were read and adopted.

On motion of Mr. Potts, one hundred copies thereof were ordered to be printed for the use of the Senate.

The joint resolutions, in relation to Governor Kossuth, and the doctrine of national non-intervention,

Were taken up and read a second time by sections, and the first section thereof, as follows:

1. *Be it Resolved, by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That Louis Kossuth be invited to visit this Legislature at its present session, that we may extend to him the hospitality of the State, and assure him of our sympathy,

Being under consideration,

Mr. Congar moved to amend the same by striking out "this Legislature at its present session," and insert "Trenton during the present session of the Legislature," in lieu thereof.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, was as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Hopper, and Wallace.—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie.—11.

So said amendment was not agreed to. :

The said section was then agreed to.

The said joint resolutions having been considered by sections, amended and agreed to, were ordered to be engrossed, and the same have a third reading.

Mr. Zabriskie offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, they adjourn to meet on Monday next, at three o'clock, past Meridian.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, and Zabriskie.—12.

NAYS —Messrs. Craig, Edmunds, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves and Wallace.—7.

So said resolution was agreed to, and

On motion of Mr. Fithian,
The Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, JANUARY 19, 1852.

At three o'clock, the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Starr.

Mr. Alexander presented the petition of John Conover and others, citizens of New Jersey, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, appointing fit and competent persons Commissioners, to report such bills as to them shall seem practicable and expedient, and calculated to reform and improve the laws, and simplify and abridge the practice and proceedings of the Courts of Justice of this State.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Congar presented the petition of J. A. Pratt and W. W. Pratt, Editors and Proprietors of the Jersey City Daily Sentinel and Advertiser, praying the Legislature to consider their petition and facilities for the accomplishment, promptly and efficiently, of all kinds of printing.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Printing.

The President announced the following committee on Municipal Corporations :

Messrs. Sitgreaves, Rogers, and Burk.

Mr. Alexander moved that the petition of Edward T. C. Attlebury, which was read and ordered to lie upon the table, be referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

Which motion was agreed to.

The same gentleman, in pursuance of notice given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An Act to alter the north-western boundary of the City of Trenton.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have

second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Congar, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce.

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Manufacturer's Fire and Marine Insurance Company of Newark, New Jersey.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Potts, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled

An Act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Turnpike Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Mulford gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Congress Hall Hotel Company.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred the petition of John T. Lewis and others,

Reported a bill entitled,

A supplement to an act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company, passed February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The same gentleman, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred the petition of William Morford and others, inhabitants of the township of Middletown, in the county of Monmouth, on that subject,

Reported a bill entitled,

An Act to authorize the citizens or chosen Freeholders of the county of Monmouth, to build a bridge over Compton's Creek, near the dock of the Compton's Creek Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings," approved April the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act to set off a new township from the township of Hanover, in the county of Hudson, and to annex the same to the county of Bergen,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Greer gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Newton Presbyterial Academy.

Mr. Hopper gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to provide for the working and repair of Turnpike roads in the county of Bergen and Passaic, which have been, or shall be neglected or abandoned by the corporations by whom they were, or shall be constructed.

The same gentleman, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

Reported that they had examined

Joint Resolutions entitled,

Joint Resolutions in relation to Governor Kossuth, and the doctrine of national non-intervention,

And that the same was correctly engrossed.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Claims and Pensions, to whom was referred the statement and memorial of Robert Gwynne,

Reported as follows :

The committee on Claims and Pensions, to whom was referred the statement and petition of Robert Gwynne—Report :

That said Robert Gwynne was employed to print the Journal of the proceedings of the seventh Senate of New Jersey, under a concurrent resolution passed at the last session of the Legislature.

That a copy of the Journal was delivered to him by the Secretary of the Senate, on the fifteenth of April last, within the time prescribed by law.

That the Journal was not printed and delivered until the tenth day of November last.

That the bill for the printing thereof, amounted to nine hundred and fifty-six dollars, and ninety-eight hundredths, three-fourths of which were paid to him, and the balance was retained by the Treasurer of the State; to obtain this balance, the petitioner requests the action of the Legislature.

That by the seventh and eighth sections of the act entitled, "An act relative to the laws of the State," &c., "The Printer appointed to print the Laws and Proceedings, shall, within ninety days after he shall have received copies thereof, deliver to the Treasurer the number of copies required by Law, and a failure thereof, shall forfeit one-fourth of the compensation to him allowed."

That under said act, one-fourth of said compensation was forfeited, and the Treasurer refused to pay the same.

But, inasmuch as the delay was occasioned by sickness and other circumstances, over which the petitioner had no control, (as the committee are informed and believe,) has not occasioned any additional expense to the State, and no relief was granted in a similar case by the Legislature in 1846, to Samuel P. Hull, Printer of the Journal of the Senate,

The committee recommended that the request of the petition be granted.

Which was read, and

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The accompanying joint resolution was ordered to have a second reading.

On motion of Mr. Fithian,

The Senate then adjourned.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Starr.

Mr. Alexander presented the petition of Robert S. Green, and others, citizens of the State of New Jersey, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, appointing fit and competent persons Commissioners, to report such bills as to them shall seem practicable and expedient, and calculated to reform and improve the laws, and simplify and abridge the practice and proceedings of the Courts of Justice of this State.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Hopper presented the petition of John Van Brunt, and others, inhabitants of the townships of Hackensack and Harrington, in the county of Bergen, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to prevent horses, cattle, and swine to run at large in the public highways in said townships. }

And also,

The petition of Samuel R. Demarest and others, inhabitants of the same townships and county, upon the same subject.

Which were severally read and referred to the committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. Wallace presented the petition of William S. Clawson and others, inhabitants of the county of Salem, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, supplementary to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Gloucester and Salem Turnpike Company," authorizing the extension of the same.

And also,

The petition of Samuel W. Miller and others, inhabitants of the same county, upon the same subject.

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February the twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Which were severally read and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Canfield presented the petition of James F. Tickenor and others, President and Directors of the Kingwood and Long Pond Turnpike Company, inhabitants of this State, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, repealing the charter of said company and constituting the said road a Public Highway,

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Davis gave notice, that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act for the incorporation of Pank Road Companies.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the West Jersey Academy,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act securing to mechanics and others, payment for their labor and materials in erecting any house or other building within the limits therein mentioned," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Hopper, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to provide for the working and repair of Turnpike roads in the counties of Bergen and Passaic, which have been or shall be neglected or abandoned by the corporations by whom they were, or shall be constructed.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Greer, from the committee on Unfinished Business of the last session, presented

The following report :

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The Committee on Unfinished Business, upon examination of the files of the Senate, find the following bills, &c., among the bills laid over :

1. An act to provide for the improvement of the northerly shore of Communipaw Cove, in the county of Hudson.

2. An additional supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Hudson and Delaware Railroad Company," passed March eighth, eighteen hundred and thirty-two.

3. An Act to Incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company.

4. An Act to set off the township of Harrison, in the county of Hudson, into the county of Bergen.

5. A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to establish a Militia System," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

6. An act to grant to the Trustees of the East Newark Company, the right to build wharves in and on the shore of the Passaic river, adjoining and in front of the Company's lands at East Newark, in the township of Harrison and county of Hudson, and to excavate the mud in the river, near the wharves to be erected, to improve the navigation thereof.

7. Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Town of Belvidere," passed the nineteenth day of March, eighteen hundred and forty-five.

8. An act to incorporate the Essex and Hudson Ferry and Road Company.

9. And also, the amendments made in the Senate to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled "Supplement to an act entitled an act for rendering proceedings upon information in the nature of a *quo warranto* more speedy and effectual," passed March seventeenth, seventeen hundred and ninety-five.

JOSEPH GREER,
REUBEN FITHIAN,
MOSES CRAIG.

Which having been read,

On motion of Mr. Alexander, was

Ordered to lie on the table and be printed for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Greer offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to communicate to the Senate the amount paid as compensation to the Commissioners appointed to erect a House of Refuge since the date of their appointment.

Which was read and agreed to.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, the Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following preamble, and concurrent resolution, to wit:—

WHEREAS, The undermentioned books presented to the State by Mr. Alexander Vattermere, with a request that they may be deposited in the library of the Philoclean Library of the College of New Brunswick, so long as they may be needed by said society, viz :

1. The Sacred Classics, by Blackwell, 2 volumes.
2. An Inquiry into the Constitution, Discipline, Unity and Worship of the Primitive Church, by Sir Peter Kings.
3. Dionisia Laugine de Sublimate Commentarius—Zach. Pearce.
4. Noctarinan Latinarum Reliquia.
Collected and edited by M. Augustus Weighut.
5. Compendium Theologiæ Christiana—By T. Mallibro.
And still in the Library of the State.

AND WHEREAS, the said society are desirous to receive the said books,

Resolved, (Senate concurring), That the Librarian be directed to deliver the said books to the order of said society.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

On motion of Mr. Congar,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander presented the memorial of Lewis Scofield and others, inhabitants of this State, praying an act of the Legislature of this State, to grant to them a charter under which they could organize a Health Insurance Company, whose place of business shall be in the city of Trenton, and without power to establish agencies elsewhere.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Zabriskie presented a remonstrance from David Anderson and others, inhabitants of the Township of Harrison, in the County of Hudson, against the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to incorporate the whole or any part of the Township of Harrison, into the county of Bergen.

Which was read, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Alexander, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An Act authorizing peremptory challenges of Jurors, in certain cases,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Congar presented the memorial of William Wright, president of the proprietors of the bridges over the rivers Passaic and Hackensack, against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State, to grant a charter to the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company, to construct a bridge over the Passaic and Hackensack rivers, within the limits prohibited by law, and in violation of the solemn grant of the State to these memorialists.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Alexander presented a certified extract from the minutes of the proceedings of the Common Council of the City of Trenton, in behalf of the inhabitants thereof, protesting against any diminution of the territorial limits of the said city.

Which was read and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Potts from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act supplementary to, and amendatory of, an act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Exploring and Mining Company," passed February fiftieth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Reported the same without amendments.

A sealed message marked "*nominations*," was received from the Governor by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate went into executive session, and after some time spent therein,

The Senate again came to order.

The engrossed joint resolutions entitled,

Joint Resolutions in relation to Governor Kossuth, and the doctrine of national Non-intervention,

Were then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall these engrossed Joint Resolution pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Gongar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriske, 17.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rogers and Satterthwaite, 2.

Ordered, That the President sign said joint resolutions, the Secretary carry them to the House of Assembly, and inform

shows that the Senate has passed the same, and request their concurrence.

Mr. Mulford, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Congress Hall Hotel Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title,

Ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Edmunds,

The Senate then adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, January 25, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer, by the Rev. Mr. Starr.

Mr. Alexander presented the petition of Archibald Alexander, and others, citizens of New Jersey, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, appointing fit and competent persons Commissioners, to report such bills as to them shall seem practicable and expedient, and calculated to reform and improve the laws, and simplify and abridge the practice and proceedings of the Courts of Justice of this State.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Davis, from the committee on Public Printing, presented the following Joint Report :

The Joint Committee on Public Printing, beg leave to report the following resolution :

Resolved, (the House of Assembly concurring), That Charles D. Hineline be employed to print the votes and proceedings of the House of Assembly, of the current year, and an index thereto.

That Bernard Connolly be employed to print the Journal of the proceedings of the Senate, and of the Joint Meetings of the Senate and Assembly, and indexes thereto.

That they each print one thousand copies thereof at sixteen dollars and thirty-five cents per sheet—the size of the sheet and type to correspond with the Journal of the House of Assembly, for the year eighteen hundred and fifty-one, condensed as per sample; filed with the Secretary of State, by the Joint Committee of Senate and Assembly on Printing, for the present year, and that the Secretary of State inspect the work and audit the accounts for printing the same, before payment be made.

That the Law and Chancery Reporters be authorized to procure the printing of sixteen hundred copies of each of their reports, in as condensed a form as a proper execution of the work will admit, on large octavo pages, trimmed and in other respects corresponding with those heretofore printed, and to be paid therefor, twenty-seven dollars per sheet.

That Donaldson and Brokaw be employed to print two thousand copies of the Laws which shall be enacted at the present sitting of the Legislature, in as condensed a form as a proper execution thereof will admit, on large octavo pages, trimmed and bound, and in all other respects corresponding with those heretofore printed, at thirty-two dollars per sheet.

That Morris R. Hamilton be employed to do the current printing of both Houses of the Legislature, during the sitting thereof.

That the prices to be paid for said current printing, be as follows, (viz.) for bills, at the rate of three dollars and fifty cents per sheet, in Pica type, of thirty-one lines per page, on the best foolscap paper that can be procured at three dollars per ream—one hundred copies of each bill for the use of the Legislature.

For pamphlet work at the rate of fifty-five cents per thousand lines for composition, and fifty cents per token; (two hundred and fifty copies) for press work, on as good material

paper as can be procured for three dollars per ream, the work to be done in a neat and expeditious manner.

WILLIAM D. DAVIS,
Chairman of the Senate Committee.

JOHN ZABRISKIE,
Chairman of Committee of House of Assembly.

The report was adopted, and
The concurrent resolution also adopted,
In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the report and concurrent resolution were adopted.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,
An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Turnpike Company.

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Davis, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,
An act for the incorporation of Pank Road Companies.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock, the Senate met.

Mr. Congar gave notice, that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings," approved April the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and while the first section was under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The further consideration of the same, was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company, passed February twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An Act to authorize the citizens or chosen Freeholders of the county of Monmouth, to build a bridge over Compton's Creek, near the dock of the Compton's Creek Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections,

amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Davis, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the ~~Newton~~ Presbyterian Academy.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Zabriske, in pursuance of notice given heretofore, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery,"

Which was read for the first time, by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Sitgreaves gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Delaware Rail Road Company," passed March second, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

The President laid before the Senate the following reports.

[For the Reports, see Appendix, marked thus—2 A.]

Which were severally read, and referred to the committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

On motion of Mr. Zabriske,
The Senate then adjourned.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Starr.

Mr. Davis presented the petition of Asbury Fountain and others, residents of the County of Monmouth, and Stockholders of the Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, altering the name and title of said Company, from the Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company, to the Eatentown Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Which was read and ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery."

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred the petition of sundry citizens upon that subject,

Reported a bill entitled,

An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Ringwood and Long Pond Turnpike Company," passed February the eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eleven.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to provide for the working and repair of Turnpike

roads in the counties of Bergen and Passaic, which have been, or shall be neglected or abandoned by the corporations by whom they were, or shall be constructed,

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Congress Hall Hotel Company,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Burk presented the petition of John Hopper, an inhabitant of the township of Freehold, in the County of Monmouth, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, which shall give to one James Anderson and Sarah Turner, and to all persons claiming any real or personal estate under them, the same rights and powers in all respects whatsoever that they would have had, if the said James Anderson and Sarah Turner had been in lawful wedlock.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Rogers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred the petitions of sundry citizens upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

An act to prevent Horses, Cattle, Sheep, and Swine, from running at large in the townships of Hackensack and Flemington, in the county of Bergen,

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Congar, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to

have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,
Reported that they had examined

The bills severally entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight.

And also,

An act to authorize the Chosen Freeholders of the county of Monmouth, to build a bridge over Compton's Creek, near the dock of Compton's Creek Company,

And that the same was correctly engrossed.

Mr. Sitgreaves offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That Francis D. Mulford be appointed Assistant Secretary of this Senate, at a sum not exceeding three dollars per day.

Which was read and agreed to.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Manufacturing Company," passed January twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves and Wallace—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Chosen Freeholders of the county of Monmouth, to build a bridge over Compton's Creek, near the dock of Compton's Creek Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite and Wallace—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

Mr. Sitgreaves gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to exempt from sale on execution the Homestead of a Householder, having a family.

Mr. Bleecker gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Union Manufacturing Company," passed February the twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act securing to mechanics and others, payment for their labor and materials in erecting any house or other building within the limits therein mentioned," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and

Ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading,

**On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,
The Senate then adjourned.**

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Mulford gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

Joint resolutions respecting the construction of Break Water Harbor at Cape May.

Mr. Sitgreaves gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting imprisonment for debt in cases of fraud," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty six.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

Reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act securing to mechanics and others, payment for their labor and materials in erecting any house or other building within the limits

therein mentioned," approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

And that the same was correctly engrossed.

The joint resolution, entitled

Joint] Resolution for relief of Robert Gwynne, of Salem County,

Was taken up, read a second time, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Exploring and Mining Company," passed February fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time by sections, and the third section thereof as follows :

"3. *And be it enacted*, That the Directors of the New Jersey Zinc Company may be increased to twelve, and shall divide themselves by lot within three months after the first election under this act, into four classes; those of the first class shall hold their offices for four years; those of the second class for three years; those of the third class for two years, and those of the fourth class for one year from the day of said election; every election for directors hereafter, shall be for one class of directors, and shall be held on the first Tuesday of November in each year,"

Being under consideration,

Mr. Satterthwaite moved to amend the same, by inserting the words "and that the President and majority of the Directors be residents of the State of New Jersey." in the second line after the word "twelve," and before the word "and."

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Satterthwaite and Sitgreaves—8.

NAYS.—Messrs, Alexander, Bleecker, Congar, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Wallace and Zabriskie—12.

So said amendment was not agreed to.

The said section was then agreed to.

The fourth remaining and other sections of said bill were considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the bill as amended,

Ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to set off from the township of Harrison, in the county of Hudson, a new township to be called the township of Union, and to annex the same to the county of Bergen.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act authorizing peremptory challenges of Jurors in certain cases,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Potts moved that

The bill entitled,

An Act to Incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company,

Being No. 3. of the report of the committee on Unfinished Business of the last session of the Legislature,

Be now taken up.

Which motion was agreed to, and said bill was taken up accordingly.

Said bill was then read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

On motion of the said gentleman,

The Senate then adjourned.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 23, 1852.

At ten o'clock, the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Starr.

Mr. Alexander gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act respecting annual reports to the Legislature, of Rail Road and other companies.

And also,

A bill entitled,

An act explanatory of an act, approved March the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and entitled a supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting executions, and regulating the sale of personal estate, by virtue thereof," approved April the sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Mr. Potts presented the resolutions of a meeting of the Stockholders of the Gloucester and Salem Turnpike Company, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to enable them to carry into effect the true intent and meaning of said Company.

Which was read, and ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Sitgreaves gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An Act to establish a new Township in the county of Warren, to be called the Township of Stewartsville.

Mr. Bleecker, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the

Union Manufacturing Company," passed February the twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred the petition of Wm. S. Clawson, and others, upon that subject,

Reported a bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Gloucester and Salem Turnpike Company."

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Newton Presbyterial Academy,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Craig, from the committee on so much of the Governor's Message as relates to the districting the State, reported

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, the Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly had passed the Joint Resolutions from the Senate, entitled

Joint Resolutions in relation to Governor Kossuth, and the doctrine of national non-intervention,

With sundry amendments,

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. Greer, from the Joint Committee on the Treasurer's accounts, presented the following report :

Which was read and agreed to.

[For Treasurer's Report, see Appendix F.]

The following message was received from the Governor by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, January 23, 1852. }

*To the Senate,
And General Assembly.*

I transmit herewith the Annual Report of the "Directors on behalf of the State of the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and the Camden and Amboy Rail Road and Transportation Companies.

Very respectfully,
GEO. F. FORT.

Which was read, and the usual number of copies ordered to be printed.

[For State Directors Report, see Appendix G.]

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, Reported that they had examined

The bills severally entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Exploring and Mining Company," passed February fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Also,

The joint resolution No. 2., in relation to the relief of Robert Gwynne.

Also,

An act to set off a new township from the township of Hanover, in the county of Hudson, and to annex the same to the county of Bergen,

And also,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Juries and Verdicts," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

And that the same were correctly engrossed.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Exploring and Mining Company," passed February fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rodgers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

Joint resolution No. 2., in relation to the relief of Robert Gwynne,

Was then taken up and read a second time, and

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The further consideration of the same, was postponed for the present.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act securing to Mechanics' and others, payment for their labor and materials in erecting any house or other building within the limits therein mentioned," approved April eighteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners,

(Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rodgers, Satterthwaite, Wallace and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Juries and Verdicts," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Buik, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rodgers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Ganfield, Mulford and Potts—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

Mr. Bleecker gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Zinc Mines Road Company.

The President laid before the Senate, the following Annual Report of the State Treasurer, balance sheets, &c.

Which was read and ordered to lie upon the table.

[For report of Joint Committee on Treasurer's Account, see Appendix.]

On motion of Mr. Alexander, one thousand copies thereof were ordered to be printed for the use of the Senate.

On motion of the same gentleman, the usual number of copies of the report of the Joint Committee on the Treasurer's account, be printed for the use of the Senate.

The joint resolutions, entitled

Joint resolutions, in relation to Governor Kossuth, and the doctrine of national non-intervention,

With sundry amendments from the House of Assembly, was taken up, and the first amendment was disagreed to.

An amendment to the said amendment, made by the House of Assembly, being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The further consideration of the same was postponed for the present.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock, the Senate met:

Mr. Satterthwaite presented the petition of William O. Bishop and others, inhabitants of the Townships of Medford, Southampton and Northampton, in the county of Burlington, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, setting off a new township from a part of each of the aforementioned townships, to be called Lamberton Township.

Which was read, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred the petitions of sundry citizens of New Jersey upon that subject,

Reported joint resolutions entitled;

Joint Resolutions No. 3, for the appointment of Commissioners to report amendments of the system of Jurisprudence of this State, and provide for the election of certain officers by the people. ✓

Which was read for the first time, by their title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The same gentleman presented the petition of Richard Stockton, and others, citizens of New Jersey, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, appointing fit and competent persons Commissioners, to report such bills as to them shall seem practicable and expedient, and calculated to reform and improve the laws, and simplify and abridge the practice and proceedings of the Courts of Justice of this State.

Also,

The petition of John T. Bartine and others, inhabitants of this State, upon the same subject.

Also,

The petition of William Hunt and others, inhabitants of said State, upon the same subject.

And also,

The petition of George Thompson and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which were ordered to lie on the table, without reading.

The joint resolutions entitled,

Joint Resolutions in relation to Governor Kossonth, and the doctrine of national non-intervention,

Were again taken up,

And the amendment to the second amendment made thereto in the House of Assembly, was adopted, the amendment as amended, concurred in, and the Joint Resolutions ordered to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

✓ An act to incorporate the Trustees of the West Jersey Academy,

Was taken up, read a second time by sections, and the second section thereof, as follows :

Second, And be it enacted, That the object of said association is hereby declared to be the advancement of education,

Being under consideration,.

Mr. Bleecker moved to amend the same, by inserting the words "only" in the first line after the word "the" and before the word "object."

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, was as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves and Wallace—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Flithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rodgers, Satterthwaite and Zabriskie—9.

So said amendment was not agreed to.

The said section was then agreed to. •

The third and remaining sections of said bill, were considered, amended, and agreed to, and the bill as amended, ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Mulford gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

✓ A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and Philadelphia Steam Boat Ferry Company," approved February the twenty-third, eighteen hundred and forty-eight.

Mr. Sitgreaves, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to exempt from sale in execution the Homestead of a Householder having a family.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, the Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Juries and Verdicts," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

In which the concurrence of the Seate is requested.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Juries and Verdicts," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Mulford moved that

So much of the Governor's Message as relates to the Maps of the State of New Jersey, to be furnished by Robert E. Horner to the State, be referred to the Committee on Education.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

Reported that they had examined the amendment to the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to the Joint Resolutions entitled,

Joint Resolutions in relation to Governor Kossuth, and the doctrine of national non-intervention,

And that the same was correctly engrossed.

Mr. Congar offered the following Resolution :

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it will adjourn to meet again on Monday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Which was read and agreed to.
On motion of Mr. Sitgreaves,
The Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, January 26, 1852.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer, by the Rev. Mr. Cuyler.

Mr. Alexander presented the memorial of William A. Benjamin and others, inhabitants of the city of Trenton, against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State altering the boundaries of the city of Trenton, so as to exclude the property of Edward H. Atterbury from the limits of said city.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same gentleman, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to exempt from sale in execution the Homstead of a Householder having a family,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate The Manufacturer's Fire and Marine Insurance Company of Newark, New Jersey,

Reported the same with amendments,

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An Act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company,

Reported the same without amendments.

The engrossed Joint Resolution as amended by the Senate to the amendments made in the House of Assembly, entitled

Joint resolutions, in relation to Governor Kossuth, and the doctrine of national non-intervention,

Was taken up, and the amendment by the Senate to the amendments made by the House of Assembly, read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall these engrossed Joint Resolutions as amended pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rogers and Satterthwaite—2.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Congress Hall Hotel Company,

Was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Gloucester and Salem Turnpike Company," approved March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act respecting annual reports to the Legislature, of Rail Road and other companies.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act incorporating Plank Road Companies.

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Davis gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce.

A bill entitled,

An act incorporating the Middletown and Shrewsbury Steamboat and Transportation Company.

Mr. Rogers gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce.

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act concerning Roads.

Mr. Canfield gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of Crimes."

On motion of Mr. Potts,

The Senate then adjourned;

TUESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1852.

At ten o'clock, the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Cuyler.

Mr. Hopper presented the memorial of John Van Brunt and others, inhabitants of the county of Bergen, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, enacting a General Rail Road Law.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Bleecker presented the petition of John Marsh and others, inhabitants of the village of Mendham, of the County of Morris, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, incorporating a Company, and investing the Stockholders thereof with power and authority to construct an aqueduct for the purpose of supplying said village with water.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Mulford presented a petition of Hiram Wilkins and others, inhabitants of the counties of Gloucester and Camden, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, altering the division line between said counties.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Congar presented a petition of Silas Condit and others, inhabitants of the city of Newark, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, granting to the several wards of the City of Newark, an equal representation in the board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Essex, with the other townships of said County.

Which was read, and ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Union Manufacturing Company," passed February the twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Bleecker, in pursuance of notice given heretofore, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Zinc Mines Road Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Rogers, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act concerning Roads.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Sitgreaves, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Delaware Rail Road Company," passed March second, eighteen hundred and thirty six,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Davis, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Middletown and Shrewsbury Steamboat and Transportation Company,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The joint resolutions, entitled

Joint Resolutions for relief of Robert Gwyane, of Salem County,

Were taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall these engrossed joint resolutions pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—18.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rodgers, and Zabriskie—2.

Ordered, That the President sign the said joint resolutions, the Secretary carry them to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said joint resolutions, and request their concurrence.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and

Ordered to be re-printed.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

Reported that they had examined

The bills severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the West Jersey Academy.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Congress Hall Hotel Company.

And also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Gloucester and Salem Turnpike Company,"

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, the Clerk, informed the Senate

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the concur-

rent resolutions from the Senate, in relation to the Public Printing, as follows :

Resolved, That Charles D. Hineline be employed to print the votes and proceedings of the House of Assembly, of the current year, and and Index thereto.

That Bernard Connolly be employed to print the Journal of the proceedings of the Senate, and of the Joint Meetings of the Senate and Assembly, and Indexes thereto.

That they each print one thousand copies thereof at sixteen dollars and thirty-five cents per sheet—the size of the sheet and type to correspond with the Journal of the House of Assembly, for the year eighteen hundred and fifty-one, condensed as per sample; filed with the Secretary of State, by the Joint Committee of Senate and Assembly on Printing, for the present year, and that the Secretary of State inspect the work and audit the accounts for printing the same, before payment be made.

That the Law and Chancery Reporters be authorized to procure the printing of sixteen hundred copies of each of their reports, in as condensed a form as a proper execution of the work will admit, on large octavo pages, trimmed and in other respects corresponding with those heretofore printed, and to be paid therefor, twenty-seven dollars per sheet.

That Donaldson and Brokaw be employed to print two thousand copies of the Laws which shall be enacted at the present sitting of the Legislature, in as condensed a form as a proper execution thereof will admit, on large octavo pages, trimmed and bound, and in all other respects corresponding with those heretofore printed, at thirty-two dollars per sheet.

That Morris R. Hamilton be employed to do the current printing of both Houses of the Legislature, during the sitting thereof.

That the prices to be paid for said current printing, be as follows, (viz.) for bills, at the rate of three dollars and fifty cents per sheet, in Pica type, of thirty-one lines per page, on the best foolscap paper that can be procured at three dollars per ream—one hundred copies of each bill for the use of the Legislature.

For pamphlet work at the rate of fifty-five cents per thousand ems for composition, and fifty cents per token, (two

hundred and fifty copies) for press work; on as good medium paper as can be procured for three dollars per ream, the work to be done in a neat and expeditious manner.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act explanatory of an act, approved March the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and entitled a supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting executions, and regulating the sale of personal estate, by virtue thereof," approved April the sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate then adjourned,

At three o'clock, the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relating to Juries and Verdicts," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The petition of Peter Beckett and others, inhabitants of the County of Gloucester, paying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to authorize the Lower Meadow Com-

pany, on the west side of Raccoon Creek, to elect one of their number to act as clerk of said Company,

Reported that they deemed it inexpedient to report a bill, there being no evidence of a notice of application for the same.

Mr. Mulford, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked, and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and Philadelphia Steam Boat Ferry Company," approved February the twenty-third, eighteen hundred and forty-eight.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the West Jersey Academy,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rodgers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie.—19.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Congress Hall Hotel Company.

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rodgers, Wallace and Zabriskie.—17.

NAYS.—Messrs. Craig, Satterthwaite and Sitgreaves.—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication :

TO THE HONORABLE,
The Senate of the State of New Jersey.

GENTLEMEN :—In obedience to the resolution of January the twentieth, "directing the Treasurer to communicate to the Senate the amount paid as compensation to the commissioners to erect a House of Refuge, since the date of their appointment,"

I have the honor to submit the following :

The Commissioners, Charles Stedman, Thomas Lavender, and Samuel McClung, were appointed June twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

The amount paid them as compensation for services, to January first, eighteen hundred and fifty, is

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Making the whole amount paid to Commissioners as compensation, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine dollars and six cents.

TREASURER'S OFFICE,)
January 26, 1852.)

R. M. SMITH, *Treasurer.*

Mr. Congar moved that the bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings," approved April the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Be reconsidered,

Which motion was agreed to.

The said bill was then amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to establish a Militia System," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Mr. Sitgreaves, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to establish a new Township in the County of Warren, to be called the Township of Stewartsville.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate went into executive session, and after some time spent therein,

The Senate again came to order.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to establish a new township in the County of Warren, to be called the Township of Stewartsville,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Canfield, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of Crimes."

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

● A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning Roads,' approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

The President laid before the Senate, the following communication:

"The Corporation Committee of the Senate will meet this evening at 7.1-2 o'clock, in the Senate Chamber, to hear the arguments of counsel on the application of the Newark Plank Road Company, for a bridge over the Hackensack River.

"The Senators are respectfully invited to be present.

"January 27, 1852."

Which was read and agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,
The Senate then adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer, by the Rev. Mr. Cuyler.

Mr. Zabriskie presented a petition of John C. Morgan and others, inhabitants of the county of Hudson, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State to authorize the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company to build a Bridge over the Hackensack river.

Also,

The petition of John Morris and others, inhabitants as aforesaid upon the same subject.

Also,

The petition of Andrew Anderson and others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

And also,

The petition of Alexander Love and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

And also,

The petition of Samuel M. Chambers and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which were severally read, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act explanatory of an act, approved March the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and entitled a supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting executions, and regulating the sale of personal estate, by virtue thereof," approved April the sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred the petition of John Marsh and others upon that subject,

Reported a bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mendham Aqueduct Company.

Which was read for the first time, by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Delaware Rail Road Company," passed March second, eighteen hundred and thirty six,

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Middletown and Shrewsbury Steamboat and Transportation Company,

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act respecting annual reports to the Legislature, of Rail Road and other companies,

Reported the same with amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Zinc Mine's Road Company,

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and Philadelphia Steam Boat Ferry Company," approved February the twenty-third, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

The President laid before the Senate the following statement:

*To the Honorable the Senate, and
General Assembly of the State of New Jersey.*

In conformity with the act of the Legislature, requiring an Annual Statement of the condition of the State Library, the following report is respectfully submitted.

No material change has been made during the year in the arrangement of the Library.

The rules and regulations adopted January the twentieth, eighteen hundred and forty, have had a good tendency; the good condition of the Library, and its well being, undoubtedly requires that they should be continued, and even regulations more stringent in these operations might be adopted to advantage.

Too much care cannot be exercised in the preservation of the documents of this State, particularly those of an early date. In many instances there is but a single copy, and if they should be destroyed by neglect or accident, the loss would be irreparable.

I would respectfully suggest the propriety of having the Library or its most valuable documents protected against fire, by the construction of a suitable fire proof apartment.

The number of books added to the Library during the past year, is three hundred and seven; of these, twenty six were purchased at an expense of eighty-three dollars, including the purchase of two maps.

For a more particular account, see schedule. Ninety-nine were received from the General Government, and the remainder from the several States.

In addition to these, Archer Gifford, Esq., has presented the State with a valuable collection of the early pamphlet laws, and a complete volume has been selected therefrom, of about one thousand pages, embracing a period from 1776 to 1782.

The fines for the past year against delinquents, amount to five dollars and seventy-five cents, and is so charged in the account book.

Some few books are now out and detained over the time,

according to the rules; they are in the hands of responsible persons, and consequently no loss is apprehended.

All of which is most

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM D'HART,

State Librarian.

SCHEDULE.

Laws of Pennsylvania,	\$7 00
Pictorial History of America,	4 50
Book of the World, by Fisher,	6 00
Map of Mount Vernon,	2 00
Indian Portraits,	15 00
Map of the United States,	4 00
North American Review, (for 5 years,)	22 25
Bible Illustrated,	7 00
Kniekerbocker,	5 00
Mulford's History of New Jersey,	1 00
Book on Insanity, by Gault,	1 25
Democratic Review,	3 00
Common Whig Review,	5 00
Bill for binding,	7 00
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Which was read, and referred to the committee on Library.

Mr. Congar presented a petition from James M'Quimby and others, Mayor and Common Council of the city of Newark, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, granting to the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company, privilege of building a bridge over the Hackensack River.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Bleecker, from the Joint Committee on State Prison accounts, presented the following report:

The report of the Joint Committee was read;

And three hundred copies thereof were ordered to be printed for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

Reported that they have examined

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And find the same correctly engrossed.

Mr. Satterthwaite gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the sale of one-half, of the lower part of Matinnicunk or Burlington Island,

And also,

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Managers and Treasurer of the School Fund, for the education of youth in the City of Burlington.

Mr. Congar, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April the seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Militia.

Mr. Mulford gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the planting of Oysters on lands covered with water, belonging to the State of New Jersey, situate in Maurice River Cove, Cumberland County, and for protecting the same.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings," approved April the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves and Wallace.—17.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rodgers and Zabriskie.—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Gloucester and Salem Turnpike Company,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rodgers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves Wallace and Zabriskie.—18.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery."

Was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to; and ordered to be reprinted and engrossed.

Message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr the Clerk, informed the Senate,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills severally entitled,

A supplement to, an act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Pavonia Ferry Company," passed February the twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Also,

"An Act to incorporate the Good Intent Hose Company of Mount Holly."

Also,

"An act to incorporate the Pavonia Land Association."

Also,

"An act to set off from the townships of Chesterfield and Mansfield; in the County of Burlington, a new township, to be called the Township of Bordentown."

Also,

"An act to confirm the acknowledgment of a letter of attorney, from Hamilton Beckett, to Henry Beckett."

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

I am also directed to inform the Senate, that the House of Assembly has passed the Joint Resolution from the Senate, entitled,

Joint Resolutions for the relief of Robert Gwynne, of Salem County,

Without amendment.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Ringwood and Long Pond Turnpike Company," passed February the ninth, one thousand eight hundred and eleven;

and to declare the turnpike of said Company, a public highway,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Newton Presbyterial Academy,

Was taken up and read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Pavonia Ferry Company," passed February the twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,"

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

"An act to incorporate the Good Intent Hose Company of Mount Holly,"

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

"An act to incorporate the Pavonia Land Association,"

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

"An act to set off from the Townships of Chesterfield and Mansfield, in the County of Burlington, a new Township, to be called the Township of Bordentown,"

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

"An act to confirm the acknowledgment of a Letter of Attorney from Hamilton Beckett to Henry Beckett,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Canfield,

The bill entitled,

An act to repeal an act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Ringwood and Long Pond Turnpike Company," passed February the ninth, eighteen hundred and eleven.

Was reconsidered, amended, and agreed to.

The Joint Resolutions, entitled,

Joint resolution No. 2., in relation to the relief of Robert Gwynne,

Having passed both Houses,

Were delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed bills, to be by them handed to the Governor, for his approval, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that these Joint Resolutions originated in the Senate."

SAMUEL A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The Senate then adjourned,

At three o'clock, the Senate met.

Mr. Bleecker presented the petition of Sarah A. Forsyth and others, inhabitants of the County of Morris, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors, except for medicinal or artistical purposes, as nearly as possible identical with that of Maine.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Satterthwaite presented the petition of James Brown, and others, inhabitants of the county of Burlington, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors, except for medical or artistical purposes, as nearly as possible identical with that of Maine.

Which was read and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Sitgreaves presented the petition of Emeline Shotwell and others, inhabitants of the County of Warren, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, upon the same subject.

Which was referred to the committee on Judiciary, without reading.

Mr. Fithian presented the petition of Louisa Tomlinson, and others, inhabitants of the town of Bridgeton, in the county of Cumberland, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, upon the same subject.

Also,

The petition from Anna P. Broadwater, and others, inhabitants of the town of Bridgeton, in the county of Cumberland, upon the same subject.

Also,

The petition of Sarah Ireland and others, inhabitants of the county of Cumberland, upon the same subject.

And also,

The petition of Dorcas Riley, and others, inhabitants of the town of Bridgeton, in the county of Cumberland, upon the same subject.

Which were severally referred to the committee on Judiciary, without reading.

Mr. Sitgreaves presented the petition of Robert S. Kennady, and others, inhabitants of the township of Greenwich, in the county of Warren, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to divide the township of Greenwich into two townships.

Which was read and ordered to lie upon the table.

The same gentleman presented the petition of William Allen, and others, citizens of New Jersey, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, appointing fit and competent persons Commissioners, to report such bills as to them shall seem practicable and expedient, and calculated to reform and improve the laws, and simplify and abridge the practice and proceedings of the Courts of Justice of this State.

Which was ordered to lie upon the table without reading.

Mr. Mulford presented the memorial of Francis Lee and James Ward, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, authorizing the Treasurer of this State to pay to them with interest, the expenses incurred by them as commissioners to set a part of the township of Morris river from the county of Cumberland, to the county of Cape May.

Which was read and referred to the committee on Claims and Pensions.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

"An act to confirm the acknowledgment of a letter of Attorney from Hamilton Beckett to Henry Beckett,"

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom was referred,

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes,"

Reported the same with various amendments.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom was referred,

A bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

"An act to set off from the township of Chesterfield and Mansfield, in the county of Burlington, a new township, to be called the township of Bordentown,

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting imprisonment for debt, in cases of fraud," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The same gentleman in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce,

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Manufacturing Company," passed February twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The bill entitled,

An act to prevent Horses, Cattle, Sheep, and Swine, from running at large in the townships of Hackensack and Harrington, in the county of Bergen,

Was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Turnpike Company,

Was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the sixth section thereof being under consideration, as follows:

Sec. 6. AND BE IT ENACTED, That it shall and may be lawful for said company to construct and make a turnpike or plank road, on or near the present mail route from the termination of the Haddonfield and Camden turnpike, in the village of Haddonfield, in Camden county, through the villages of Long-a-coming, Tansboro, Blue Anchor, and

Winslow, in said county of Camden, and the villages of Weymouth and Emmelville, to Hamilton Bridge, in Atlantic county, not more than four rods wide, thirty-two feet of which said turnpike shall be sufficiently arched and drained to make and keep the same dry, and at least sixteen feet six inches thereof shall be sufficiently bedded and faced with stone, gravel, plank or other material to make a solid, firm and even road at all seasons of the year; and it shall be so graded, that in its progress no part of said road shall rise above an angle of four degrees with the plane of the horizon; and the said company shall construct, keep in repair, maintain and make good and sufficient bridges along the line of said road, not less than twenty-two feet in width, and whenever the said road, in passing over low ground, shall be raised so much at the margin or side, as to render carriages passing thereon, liable to overset, the said company shall cause good and sufficient railings to be erected and maintained on the sides, so as to prevent horses and carriages from running off; and the said company may, by their officers, agents or other persons in their employ, enter from time to time, and at all times upon all lands, to search for stone, gravel, sand or clay, for constructing and keeping up said road as aforesaid, doing no unnecessary damage to said land; *Provided*, That as soon as the said company shall construct the said turnpike or plank road aforesaid, they shall pay to the respective owners of the lands over which the same may pass, all damages which the said owners will sustain, by reason of the construction of the said turnpike or plank road; and in case the said company and said owners cannot agree upon the amount of said damages, then the damages shall be ascertained and determined as nearly as may be, in the manner hereinafter provided for ascertaining and determining the damages which any land owner or owners may sustain by the taking of stone, gravel, or other materials from his or her lands, for the constructing or maintaining said turnpike or plank road.

Mr. Satterthwaite moved to amend the same, by striking out the words "sixteen feet six inches" in the ninth line after the word "least," and before the word "thereof," and insert the words "twenty feet" in lieu thereof.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, was as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleeker, Craig, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Rodgers and Satterthwaite—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves and Wallace—5.

So said motion was agreed to.

The said section was then agreed to.

The seventh and remaining sections of said Bill having been considered by sections, amended and agreed to, were ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Hopper,
The Senate then adjourned.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The Session was opened with prayer, by the Rev. Mr. Cuyler.

Mr. Alexander presented the memorial of Jonathan Steward, President, and Thomas G. Striker, and William P. Sherman, Directors of the Trenton Water Works, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to enable said company to procure a supply of Water, either in part or wholly from the river Delaware.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Burk presented the petition of John D. Gardiner and others, inhabitants of the counties of Gloucester and Salem, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to permit persons who own lands along Oldman's Creek, to fish in the same according to their own views.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Zabriskie presented the petition of the Mayor and Common Council of Jersey City, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to enable them to ensure the construction and proper management of the Water Works, recommended by the Commissioners for said city.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Rodgers presented the petition of Reuben Potter, and others, inhabitants of the county of Middlesex, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors, except for medicinal or artistical purposes, as nearly as possible identical with that of Maine.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary, without reading.

Mr. Pithian presented a petition of Henry B. Lupton and others, inhabitants of the County of Cumberland, upon the same subject.

Which was also referred to the same committee without reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,
Reported that they have examined

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Newton Presbyterial Academy,

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

And also,

The bill entitled,

An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Ringwood and Long Pond Turnpike Company," passed February the ninth, one thousand eight hundred and eleven,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting imprisonment for debt in cases of fraud," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Manufacturing Company," passed February twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight,

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

"An act to incorporate the Pavonia Land Association,"

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Bleecker, from the committee on Education, presented an abstract from the report of the State Superintendent of Public Schools :

ABSTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The State is divided into 183 Townships. Reports have been received from 170.

From these it appears that the number of children residing in the State, between the ages of 5 and 18, is, 137,029.

Number reported as attending school the past year, 88,610.

Number reported as attending the preceding year, 75,245.

Being an increase of 13,365.

Average time schools have been taught, 8 4-5 months.

Amount of money raised by Townships, past

year,	\$170,859 51
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Amount appropriated by the State,	80,000 00
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Making an aggregate of,	\$250,859 51
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Amount including State appropriation, raised the preceding year,	\$152,578 62
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Showing an increase of,	98,280 89
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Deduct, extra appropriation of past year,	40,000 00
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Making an increase of,	\$58,280 89
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Raised by the Townships during the past year, for the support of Schools.

Message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr the Clerk, informed the Senate,

That the House of Assembly has passed joint resolutions entitled,

“Joint Resolutions in relation to the producer of Coal, and the Manufacturer of Iron and Glass.”

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And that the Senate was further informed, that in reference to the Joint Resolutions from the Senate, entitled,

Joint Resolutions in relation to Governor Kossuth, and the doctrine of national non-intervention,

That the House of Assembly has receded from the first

amendment made by the House, to the said Joint Resolution, and

Has concurred in the amendment made in the Senate, to the second amendment made in the House to the same, and

That the House of Assembly has passed the said Joint Resolutions as amended by the House of Assembly and Senate, and has directed the same to be returned to the Senate.

Mr. Zabriskie gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An Act concerning Idiots and Lunatics."

And also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An Act for the settlement and relief of the poor."

The joint resolutions, No. 1, from the House of Assembly, entitled,

Joint resolutions in relation to the producer of Coal, and manufacturer of Iron and Glass,

Were taken up, read for the first time by their title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The bill entitled,

An act to set off a new township from the township of Harrison, in the county of Hudson, and to annex the same to the county of Bergen,

Was taken up,

When on motion of Mr. Hopper, the same was specially set down for Tuesday next.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Newton Presbyterian Academy,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rodgers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie.—20

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill entitled,

An act to repeal an act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Ringwood and Long Pond Turnpike Company," passed February the ninth, eighteen hundred and eleven,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie.—17.

NAYS.—Messrs. Potts and Rogers.—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill entitled;

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to Regulate Actions," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Can-

field, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmonds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rodgers—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

“An act to set off from the Townships of Chesterfield and Mansfield, in the County of Burlington, a new Township, to be called the Township of Bordentown,”

Was taken up and read a second time, considered by sections, and the first section thereof being under consideration, as follows:

1. BE IT ENACTED, *By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That all that part of the townships of Chesterfield and Mansfield, in the County of Burlington, lying within the following boundaries, that is to say:—beginning at a stake standing at the mouth of Black's creek, at low water mark on the Delaware river, and thence running down said river, the several courses thereof at low water mark, to a stake standing at low water mark below White Hill, opposite land of Isaac Field, junior; thence from said stake south, sixty-nine degrees west, in range of the chimney on the east end of John C. Vansant's house, standing on Biddle's Island, to a stake standing at low water mark on the north east end of said island; thence around said island on the north west side thereof, at low water mark, the several courses thereof, to a stake standing at low water mark, on the south west end thereof; thence along the south side thereof at low water mark, the several courses thereof, to a stake standing at low water mark on the south east side of said island; thence north seventy-nine degrees east, to the centre of a bridge over a certain sluice known as Emley's sluice, on the river road leading from Bordentown to Burlington; thence up said sluice or main ditch to the old York road; thence along the north side of said road to Black's bridge over Black's creek, thence still along the north side of said York road, to the intersection of the Mill road; thence still up the north side of said York road to a stake standing in the line of Wil-

liam Black's farm, about one hundred yards north east of a small tenant house, belonging to Samuel C. Taylor; thence north five degrees east, along said line, commonly known as Edward Field's line, now Black's, to a stone corner, to land of Clement Rockhill; thence by the same, along line of said Rockhill and Ann Newbold, to a stone in the woods, corner of William Carslake, Rockhill and Newbold; thence north thirty six degrees and a half west, to a stake corner to land of Lewis W. Pancoast; thence north five degrees west, along the line of said Carslake, and said Pancoast, to the main road leading from Bordentown to Carslake's corner; thence across said main road to a road leading from said main road to Sandhills; thence along the west side of said road to the intersection of the Groveville and Trenton road; thence along the west side of said Groveville road, south sixty eight degrees east, along said road down to low water mark in Crosswick's creek; thence down said creek, the several courses thereof at low water mark, to its junction with the Delaware river at Bordentown; thence down the Delaware river, the several courses thereof at low water mark, to the mouth of Black's creek aforesaid, the place of beginning, is hereby set off from the said townships of Chesterfield and Mansfield, and erected into a separate township, to be called and known by the name of "The township of Bordentown."

Mr. Satterthwaite moved to amend the same by inserting in the seventeenth line, after the word "the," and before the words "Old York Road," and elsewhere, when the words "Old York Road" appears, and insert the words "middle of the."

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds and Satterthwaite.—1.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Blecker, Burk, Caulfield, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rodgers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace.—14.

So said amendments were not agreed to.

The second and remaining sections of said bill having been considered by sections, amended and agreed to, were ordered to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

"An act to confirm the acknowledgment of a letter of Attorney from Hamilton Beckett to Henry Beckett,"

Was then taken up, read and considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication:

TRENTON, January 29, 1852.

*To the Honorable the Speaker and
Members of the Senate, of New Jersey.*

Your honorable body are respectfully invited to attend a meeting of the New Jersey State Temperance Society, this afternoon at three o'clock, in the saloon of the Temperance Hall; also at seven o'clock this evening.

BENJ. F. YARD, Secretary.

Which was read.

The yeas and nays being demanded on the same, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves and Wallace.—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Burk, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Rodgers, and Satterthwaite.—7.

So said communication was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock, the Senate met.

Mr. Congar presented the petition of Thomas R. Latoy and others, inhabitants of the County of Essex, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to enable the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company, to build a bridge over the Hackensack River.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, the Clerk, informed the Senate,

That the House of Assembly is ready to go into Joint Meeting, for the purpose of appointing such officers as may be thought necessary, and the Senate is requested to appoint the time and place of such Joint Meeting.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the same was ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Bleecker, five hundred copies of the Report of the State Superintendent of Public Schools, were ordered to be printed for the use of the Senate, and two hundred copies thereof for the use of the Superintendent.

Mr. Wallace gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Salem County Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February the twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An Act to alter the north-western boundary of the City of Trenton,

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the committee on Claims and Pensions, to whom had been referred

The memorial of Francis Lee and James Ward, Commissioners,

Reported Joint Resolutions, entitled,

Joint Resolutions, number four, for the relief of Francis Lee and James Ward, Commissioners.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Message from the House of Assembly in relation to Joint Meeting, was then taken up, when

Mr. Potts offered the following resolution,

Resolved, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate will be ready to go into Joint Meeting for the appointment of such officers as may be necessary, on Thursday, the fifth day of February next, at half past three o'clock, in the Assembly Room.

Which was read and agreed to.

The bill entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Union Manufacturing Company," passed February the twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Sitgreaves gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere and Water Gap Rail Road Company," approved February the twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty one.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

"An act to incorporate the Good Intent Hose Company of Mount Holly,"

Was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered have a third reading.

Mr. Canfield gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature, and the distribution thereof, and of the laws of the United States;" approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

The Joint Resolutions, entitled,

Joint Resolutions in relation to Governor Kossuth, and the doctrine of national non-intervention,

Having passed both Houses,

Were delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be by them handed to the Governor, for his approval, with the following endorsement thereon:

"I certify that these Joint Resolutions originated in the Senate."

SAMUEL A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Mulford,
The Senate then adjourned.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 30, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer, by the Rev. Mr. Cuyler.

Mr. Satterthwaite presented the petition of John T. Frick and others, inhabitants of the county of Burlington, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State to grant them a charter for a Plank or Gravel Turnpike road, from Vincentown to Mount Holly, in said county.

Which was read, and

On motion of the same gentleman, was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

Reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Turnpike Company.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to prevent Horses, Cattle, Sheep, and Swine, from running at large in the townships of Hackensack and Harrington, in the county of Bergen.

And also,

The bill entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Union Manufacturing Company," passed February the twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

And find the same to be severally correctly engrossed.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February the twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The memorial of Jonathan Steward, President, and Thomas G. Striker and William P. Sherman, Directors of the Trenton Water Works, upon that subject,

Reported a bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February the twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and three.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The petition of John D. Gardiner and others, upon that subject,

Reported a bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to fishing in Oldman's Creek, in the counties of Salem and Gloucester," passed March fifth, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Zabriskie, in pursuance of notice given heretofore, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning Idiots and Eunatics."

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The same gentleman upon like notice, asked and obtained leave to introduce,

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the poor," approved April the tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the same committee.

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Be set down for Tuesday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon, and be made a special order for that day,

Which motion was agreed to.

Mr. Sitgreaves, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere and Water Gap Rail Road Company," approved February the twenty first, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some futura day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize John Temson, Trustee of John B. Hughes, to convey certain Real Estate.

Mr. Wallace, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Salem County Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February the twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Canfield, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature, and the distribution thereof, and of the laws of the United States," approved April the sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Satterthwaite gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Vincentown and Mount Holly Turnpike Company.

A Message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr the Clerk, informed the Senate, that the House of Assembly has passed,

The bills severally entitled,

An act authorizing the administrators of Thomas Van Riper, to sell Real Estate,

Also,

An act to incorporate the National Insurance Company,

Also,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to facilitate the administration of Justice."

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested, and

That the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate, entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Juries and Verdicts," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Without amendment.

I am further directed to inform the Senate, that the House of Assembly

Has passed the following preamble and concurrent resolutions, viz :

PREAMBLE AND RESOLUTIONS.

"WHEREAS the Constitution of the United States is a compact between the several States, and forms the basis of our Federal Union.

AND WHEREAS the said States, through their Representatives, in sovereign capacities as States, by adopting said Constitution, conceded only such powers to the General Government as were necessary "to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defence, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty to themselves and posterity."

AND WHEREAS the questions which agitated the country, and absorbed so large a portion of the time of the last session of the Congress of the United States; questions in their nature directly opposed to the spirit and compromises

of the Constitution, calculated to destroy our domestic tranquility, and dismember our glorious Union, were happily terminated by the Compromise Measures, it is deemed the imperative duty of this Legislature to express their sentiments in relation thereto—Therefore,

1. *Resolved*, (Senate concurring) That the Constitution of the United States was framed in the spirit of wisdom and compromise, is the bond of our Federal Union, and can only be preserved by a strict adherence to its express and implied powers; that New Jersey, one of the original thirteen States, has always adhered to the Constitution, and is unalienably attached to the Union, and that she will resist, to the extent of her ability, any infraction of that sacred instrument.

2. *Resolved*, (Senate concurring) That this Legislature cordially approves the measures adopted by the last session of Congress, known as the 'Compromise Measures,' and that every patriot, in every part of our widely extended country, has cause to rejoice in the adoption of said measures, as a triumph of constitutional rights over a spirit of wild and disorganizing fanaticism.

3. *Resolved*, (Senate concurring) That New Jersey will abide by and sustain the Compromise Measures, and that her Senators in the Senate of the United States be instructed, and our Representatives in Congress be requested, to resist any change, alteration, or repeal thereof.

4. *Resolved*, (Senate concurring) That the Fugitive Slave Law is in accordance with the stipulations of the Constitution of the United States, and, in its provisions carries out the spirit and letter of the Constitution in its compromises, upon which our Union is founded.

5. *Resolved*, (Senate concurring) That we approve of the patriotic stand taken by the Executive of the United States, in declaring his determination to execute and enforce all laws constitutionally enacted, and that the people of New Jersey will sustain him in so doing.

6. *Resolved*, (Senate concurring) That the Governor of the State be requested to transmit a copy of these Reso-

utions to the Governor of each State in the Union, and to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress."

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. Craig offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That five hundred copies of the Report of the Commissioners to the World's Fair, accompanying the Governor's Message, be presented for the use of the Senate.

Which was read and agreed to.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act authorizing the administrators of Thomas Van Riper, to sell Real Estate.

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to incorporate the National Insurance Company,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled " An act to facilitate the Administration of Justice,"

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The Concurrent Resolutions from the House of Assembly, entitled,

Preamble and Concurrent Resolutions, in relation to the compact between the several States, which form the basis of the Federal Union,

Were then taken up, and

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the same were unanimously agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly of the adoption of the same.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to prevent Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Swine from running at large in the Townships of Hackensack and Harrington, in the county of Bergen.

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Poits, Rodgers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—Messrs. Zabriskie—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Union Manufacturing Company," passed February the twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rodgers—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill; the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to Incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rodgers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

“An act to set off from the townships of Chesterfield and Mansfield, in the County of Burlington, a new township, to be called the Township of Bordentown.”

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rodgers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves Wallace and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

“An act to confirm the acknowledgment of a Letter of attorney from Hamilton Beckett to Henry Beckett,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?
It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rodgers, Satterthwaite, Silgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—Mr. Potts—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly without amendment.

The Senate bill, entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Juries and Verdicts," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be by them presented to the Governor for his approval, with the following endorsement thereon:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

The bill entitled,

An act incorporating Plank Road Companies,

Having been read a second time, was taken up, and the consideration thereof by sections proceeded in as far as the tenth part of the second section,

When on motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock, the Senate met.

Mr. Rogers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

The Joint Resolutions No. 1, from the House of Assembly, entitled,

"Joint Resolutions in relation to the producer of Coal, and the Manufacturer of Iron and Glass."

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Davis, from the committee on the Militia, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to establish a Militia System," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

Mr. Mulford, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked, and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the planting of Oysters on lands covered with water, belonging to the State of New Jersey, situate on Maurice River Cove, and for protecting the same.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate Plank Road Companies.

Which was postponed at the last adjournment,

Was again taken up, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be reprinted.

A message from the House of Assembly by Mr. Narr the Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed,

The bills severally entitled, "1".

An act to prevent a certain mode of Gunning along the Sea Coast.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to authorize the establishment of the New Jersey Lunatic Asylum.

Also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Also,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to Incorporate the Patterson Gas Light Company," passed the ninth day of December, eighteen hundred and twenty-five.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Patterson Gas Light Company," passed the ninth day of December, eighteen hundred and twenty-five,

Was taken up and read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The bills from the House of Assembly severally entitled,

An act to prevent a certain mode of Gunning along the Sea Coast,

And also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the establishment of the New Jersey Lunatic Asylum,"

Were severally taken up, read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings," approved April the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Hopper offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it will adjourn to meet again on Monday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rodgers, Silgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Craig, Edmunds, Greer, Mulford, Potts, and Satterthwaite—8.

So said Resolution was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,
The Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, February 2, 1832.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

The Session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Rogers.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature, and the distribution thereof, and of the laws of the United States," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

Further supplement to the act entitled "An act to facilitate the Administration of Justice,"

Reported the same without amendments.

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February the twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Be recommitted to the committee on Corporations.

Which motion was agreed to.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred,

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act Incorporating the Inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings," approved April the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been recommitted

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Reported back the same with one additional section thereto.

Mr. Rodgers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to prevent a certain mode of Gunning along the Sea Coast,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and Philadelphia Steam Boat Ferry Company," approved February the twenty-third, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

Reported that they had examined

The bills severally entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And also,

The amendments made in the Senate to

The bills from the House of Assembly, severally entitled,

"An Act to incorporate the Good Intent Hose Company of Mount Holly,"

And also,

An act to incorporate the Pavonia Land Association,
And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill entitled,

An act explanatory of an act, approved March the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and entitled a supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting executions, and regulating the sale of personal estate, by virtue thereof," approved April the sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to establish a Militia System," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to alter the north-western boundary of the city of Trenton.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The Joint Resolutions, entitled,

Joint Resolutions, for the relief of Francis Lee and James Ward, Commissioners,

Were taken up and read a second time,

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Fithian, the further consideration thereof was postponed for the present.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings," approved April the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Roads," approved the sixteenth day of April, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The following message was received from the Governor by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, January 30, 1852. }

To the Senate,

Mr. President:—I have approved and signed the following Joint Resolutions which originated in your House:

Joint Resolutions in relation to Governor Kossuth, and the doctrine of national non-intervention.

Joint Resolutions for the relief of Robert Gwynne, of Salem County.

GEO. F. FORT.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication, accompanied with the resolutions of a Public Meeting of the citizens of Lambertville, protesting against the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to build or increase the height of the dam in the Delaware River at Wells Fall.

LAMBERTVILLE, January 31st, 1852.

Hon. John Manners,

DEAR SIR:—Enclosed you will find the Preamble and Resolutions unanimously adopted by a meeting held in this town this evening. You will find one of the resolutions instructs me as Secretary of that meeting, to send you as President of the Senate, to cause to be laid before that body a copy of the resolutions so passed.

The resolutions accompanying the communication were read, and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Congar,
The Senate then adjourned.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Rogers.

Mr. Zabriskie presented the remonstrance of Richard Outwater, and others, inhabitants of the township of Harrison, and residing in that part north of the Bellville Turnpike, remonstrating against the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, dividing said township, and setting it off to the county of Bergen.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

The same gentleman presented the memorial of William Taylor Murphy, and others, inhabitants of the county of Hudson, remonstrating against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State, containing a recognition either directly or indirectly of the claim set up by the proprietors of the Bridges over the Hackensack and Passaic Rivers, to any exclusive right to the same.

Which was read, and ordered to be referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The same gentleman presented the petition of John Arbuckle, and others, inhabitants of the township of Bergen, in the county of Hudson, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to enable them to organize a company with a capital of one hundred thousand

dollars, with power to establish a Ferry communication with the city of New York, from a point upon the shore of New York Bay, near Communipaw Land, which runs near Bergen Point.

Which was read, and ordered to be referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The same gentleman presented the petition of A. M. Zabriskie, and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which was read, and ordered to be referred as aforesaid.

Mr. Satterthwaite presented the memorial of Lawrence Devoe, and others, inhabitants of Elizabethtown, in the county of Essex, remonstrating against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State, recognizing directly or indirectly the claim set up by the proprietors of the Bridges over the Hackensack and Passaic Rivers, to any exclusive right to the bridging of said Rivers.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Hopper presented the memorial of Daniel Van Winkle, and others, inhabitants of the county of Hudson, remonstrating against the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, recognizing directly or indirectly the claim set up by the proprietors of the Bridges over the Hackensack and Passaic Rivers, as aforesaid.

Which was read, and referred to the same committee.

Mr. Birdsall presented the memorial of Samuel Bridg, and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, remonstrating against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State, upon the same subject.

Which was referred to the same committee, without reading.

Mr. Potts presented the memorial of Samuel Richards, and others, inhabitants of the Fifth Ward of Newark, remonstrating against the passage of any act of the Legislature, as aforesaid.

Which was read, and referred as aforesaid.

Mr. Canfield presented the petition of James A. Penning-

ton and others, inhabitants of the county of Essex, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State to enable the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company to build a Bridge over the Hackensack river, in this State.

Which was read, and referred to the committee aforesaid.

Mr. Congar presented the memorial of Lawrence Burns, and others, inhabitants of the county of Hudson, remonstrating against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State, recognizing either directly or indirectly the exclusive right of the proprietors of the Bridges over the Rivers Hackensack and Passic, to bridge the same.

Which was read, and referred as aforesaid.

The same gentleman presented the memorial of John R. Wilson, and others, inhabitants of the City of Newark, remonstrating as aforesaid.

Which was read, and referred as aforesaid.

The same gentleman presented the memorial of F. S. Thomas, Jr., and others, inhabitants of the City of Newark, upon the same subject.

Which was read, and referred as aforesaid.

The same gentleman presented the remonstrance of Titus W. Bond and others, upon the same subject.

Which was referred as aforesaid, without reading.

Also,

The Memorial of Ephraim Clark and others, inhabitants of the county of Essex, upon the same subject.

Which was referred without reading, as aforesaid.

Also,

The memorial of William H. Pierson, and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which was referred as aforesaid, without reading.

The same gentleman presented the memorial of Jabez Cook and others, inhabitants of the Fifth Ward, Newark, upon the same subject.

Which was read, and referred as aforesaid.

Also,

The remonstrance of Henry French and others, inhabitants of the county of Hudson, upon the same subject.

Which was read, and referred as aforesaid.

The same gentleman presented the petition of Charles Durand and others, inhabitants of the County of Essex, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to enable the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company, to build a bridge over the Hackensack River.

Also,

The petition of E. B. Earl and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also,

The petition of Abbot Munn and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also,

The petition of John Bntle and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also,

The petition of David Collins and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also,

The petition of John Green and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also,

The petition of George M. Davis and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which were severally read, and referred to the same committee.

Mr. Bleecker presented the memorial of Nelson Lindsley and others, inhabitants of Orange, in the county of Essex, remonstrating against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State, granting exclusive privilege to the proprietors of the bridges over the Hackensack and Passaic Rivers, to bridge the same.

Which was read, and referred as aforesaid.

Mr. Wallace presented the petition of James W. Mecum and Margaret Rumsay, administrators of George C. Rumsey, de-

ceased; and others, inhabitants of the county of Salem, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, authorizing the administrators aforesaid to deliver certain deeds to the proper owners thereof.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr Satterthwaite presented the petition of William E. Brian and others, inhabitants of Vincentown and Mount Holly, in the county of Burlington, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, for a charter to construct a Plank or Gravel Turnpike from Vincentown to Mount Holly, in said county.

Which was read and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Also,

The petition of John Black and others, upon the same subject.

Which was referred as aforesaid, without reading.

The same gentleman moved that the petition upon the same subject which was ordered to be laid upon the table,

Should be taken up, and referred to the same Committee.

Which motion was agreed to.

The same gentleman, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Vincentown and Mount Holly Turnpike Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Edmunds gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act, entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and West Jersey Telegraph Company," approved March the sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,
An act to incorporate the National Insurance Company,
Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere and Water Gap Rail Road Company," approved February the twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning Idiots and Lunatics."

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the poor," approved April the tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Reported the same without amendment.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to set off from the township of Harrison, in the county of Hudson, a new township to be called the township of Union, and to annex the same to the county of Berget,

Which had been set down and made a special order for to day,

Was then taken up, when

On motion of Mr. Hopper, the same was recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Juries

and Verdicts," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the negative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs Bleecker, Craig, Edmunds Hopper, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite and Zabriskie—12.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act Incorporating the Inhabitants of townships, designating their powers and regulating their meetings," approved April the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rodgers, and Satterthwaite—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly without amendment.

The Joint Resolutions, entitled,

Joint Resolutions for the appointment of Commissioners to report amendments of the system of Jurisprudence of

this State, and provide for the election of certain officers by the people.

Were taken up and read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act respecting annual reports to the Legislature, of Rail Road and other companies,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Delaware Rail Road Company," passed March second, eighteen hundred and thirty six,

Was taken up and read a second time, and while the first section was under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Sitgreaves,

The further consideration of the same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Middletown and Shrewsbury Steamboat and Transportation Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to establish a new township in the County of Warren, to be called the Township of Stewartville,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication :

"The Honorable, the members of the Senate, are respectfully invited to attend an adjourned meeting of the New Jer-

sey Prison Reform Association, to be held this evening in the Hall of the House of Assembly, at half past seven o'clock. — Subjects of general interest to the community and the State, will be presented for consideration.

“By order of the Association,
“S. STARR, *Secretary.*”

Which was read, and the invitation accepted.

Mr. Zabriskie gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled “An Act to incorporate the Jersey City Gas Light Company.

Mr. Alexander gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A Supplement to an act entitled “An act to incorporate the Princeton Bank, passed the twenty-seventh day of February, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

Mr. Congar gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Erina Benevolent Association.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock, the Senate met.

Mr. Fithian presented the petition of Issac B. Mulford and others, inhabitants of the village of Millville, in the county of Cumberland, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to prevent swine from running at large within one mile from the Baptist Church in said village.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The same gentleman presented the petition of Lewis Mulford and others, inhabitants of the township of Millville, in the county of Cumberland, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to incorporate a company with a capital not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, with authority to construct a Turnpike Road, from Malaga, in the county of Gloucester, to Millville, in the county of Cumberland.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The President laid before the Senate

The Preamble and Resolutions of the Common Council of the town of Lambertsville, adopted at a meeting held on the second of February, eighteen hundred and forty-two, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to clear out the channel of the River Delaware, from dams and other obstructions, so that Steam Boats could pass up and down the same.

Which was read, and ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An Act to alter the north-western boundary of the City of Trenton.

Also,

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act concerning Roads.

Also,

A bill entitled,

An act explanatory of an act, approved March the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and entitled a supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting executions, and regulating the sale of personal estate, by virtue thereof," approved April the sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

And also,

A bill entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to establish a Militia System," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Report that they have examined said bills,

And find the same to be severally correctly engrossed.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred the petition of James W. Mecum and Margaret C. Rumsey, administrators of George C. Rumsey, decd., and others upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the administrators of George C. Rumsey, of the county of Salem, to deliver certain deeds.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act authorizing the administrators of Thomas Van Riper, to sell Real Estate,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Salem Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February the twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Patterson Gas Light Company," passed the ninth day of December, eighteen hundred and twenty-five,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Sitgreaves in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize John Tomson, trustee of John B. Hughes, to convey certain Real Estate.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. Mulford gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to confirm the title of Horatio T. Wells, to certain lands in Camden.

Mr. Davis gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Monmouth County Life and Health Insurance Company.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Plank Road Company.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mendham Acqueduct Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act authorizing the incorporation of Plank Road Companies,

Which had been postponed in order to be reprinted,

Was again taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Manufacturing Company," passed February twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February the twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Zinc Mine's Road Company,

Was taken up, considered by sections, and while the same was under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer, by the Rev. Mr. Rogers.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, the Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the bills severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Florence and Freehold Plank or Turnpike Company.

Also,

An act to annex Petty's Island to the township of Delaware, in the county of Camden.

Also,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company," approved March the eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight.

Also,

An act to Dam off Cape Island Creek.

Also,

An act to authorize and empower the inhabitants of the City of Trenton, to construct works to supply said city with water, and to provide means therefor by law.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Red Bank Steamboat Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate Homestead and Building Companies.

Also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable the townships of Dover, Middletown and Howell, in the county of Monmouth, to sell and convey certain Real Estate therein

named, passed February the sixth, eighteen hundred and forty-three.

And,

A Joint Resolution entitled, "Joint Resolution to provide for the safe keeping of the Bonds, Mortgages and other securities belonging to, or deposited with the State.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. Mulford presented the petition of Joseph W. Cooper and others, inhabitants of New Jersey, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to annex Petty's Island to the township of Delaware, in the county of Camden.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred the petition of John Arburkle and others, inhabitants of the township of Bergen, in the county of Hudson, upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Hudson Ferry Company, in the county of Hudson.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Satterthwaite gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Medford and Tuckerton Turnpike Company.

Mr. Zabriskie, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Jersey City Gas Light Company."

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Mulford, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked, and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to confirm the title of Horatio T. Wells, to certain lands in Camden.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Wallace gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Salem County," passed March the sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Princeton Bank," passed the twenty-seventh day of February, eighteen hundred and thirty-four.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February the twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Congar gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Rahway Steam Brick Company.

The same gentleman in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce,

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Erina Benevolent Association, of the City of Newark.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Rogers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to authorize the establishment of the New Jersey Lunatic Asylum,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred the petition of Isaac B. Mulford and others, upon that subject, reported,

A bill entitled,

An act to prevent swine from running at large in the village of Millville, in the county of Cumberland.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was then taken then up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that

the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

Further supplement to the act concerning Roads,

Was taken up and read a third time, and

Being under consideration, the same was recommitted, and ordered to stand upon a second reading.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act explanatory of an act approved March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and entitled a supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting Executions, and regulating the sale of Personal Estate by virtue thereof," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie.—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on engrossed bills, reported that they had examined,

The bill entitled,

An Act incorporating Plank Road Companies.

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act establishing a Mi-

litia System," approved April the seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Pavonia Land Association,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Hopper, Mulford, Rodgers, Satterthwate and Zabriskie—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Craig, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, and Wallace—6.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February the twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie.—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been recommitted

The bill entitled,

Further supplement to the act concerning Roads,

Reported back the same with sundry amendments.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act incorporating Plank Road Companies,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) and Zabriskie—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Zinc Mines Plank Road Company,
Which was postponed at the last adjournment,

Was again taken up, considered by sections, amended and
agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third read-
ing.

The Joint Resolution, No 2, from the House of Assembly,
entitled,

Joint Resolution to provide for the safe keeping of the
Bonds, Mortgages, and other securities belonging to, or de-
posited with the State,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered
to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on
Miscellaneous Business.

The bills from the House of Assembly severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Red Bank Steamboat Company.

And also,

An act to incorporate Homestead and Building Com-
panies.

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, or-
dered to have a second reading, and referred to the Com-
mittee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable the
townships of Dover, Middletown and Howell, in the county
of Monmouth, to sell and convey certain Real Estate therein
named," passed February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and
forty-three,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to
have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the
Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to Drain Cape Island Creek,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to
have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Mis-
cellaneous Business.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the

Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company," approved March the eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to annex Petty's Island to the township of Delaware, in the county of Camden,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to incorporate the Florence and Freghold Plank or Turnpike Road Company,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to authorize and empower the inhabitants of the City of Trenton to construct works to supply said city with water, and to provide means therefor by loan,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Rogers,

The bill entitled,

Further supplement to the act concerning Roads,

With the amendments thereto, be engrossed for a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Rogers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the planting of Oysters on lands covered with water, belonging to the State of New Jersey, situate on Maurice River Cove, and for protecting the same,

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred,

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize John Tomson, trustee of John B. Hughes, to convey certain Real Estate,

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the committee on the Treasurer's account in relation to Banks established under the general law, presented the following report and statement :

[For report of committee on Banks, under the General Banking Law, see Appendix]

Which was read, and:

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The same was accepted, and five hundred copies thereof ordered to be printed for the use of the Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

"An act to incorporate the Good Intent Hose Company of Mount Holly,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Craig, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly without amendment.

A Message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bill entitled,

A supplement to "An act to enable the owners of Swamp or Meadow Ground, to drain the same, and to repeal the law heretofore made for that purpose," passed November the twenty-fourth, seventeen hundred and ninety-two.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the administrators of George C. Rumsey, of the county of Salem, to deliver certain deeds,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere and Delaware Rail Road Company," passed March second, eighteen hundred and thirty six,

Which had been postponed, was,

On motion of Mr. Sitgreaves,

Taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to set off from the township of Harrison, in the

county of Hudson, a new township to be called the township of Union, and to annex the same to the county of Bergen,

Which had been postponed and re-committed, was,

On motion of Mr. Hopper,

Again taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The joint resolutions, No. 4, entitled,

Joint Resolutions, for the relief of Francis Lee and James Ward, Commissioners,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate The Manufacturer's Fire and Marine Insurance Company of Newark, New Jersey,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

Reported that they had examined

The bills severally entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Manufacturing Company," passed February twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight,

And also,

An act to incorporate the Middletown and Shrewsbury Steamboat and Transportation Company,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of Crimes,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, And while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Sitgreaves, the further consideration thereof was postponed for the present.

Mr. Alexander gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

Bills severally entitled;

An act relative to foreign Judgments.

And also,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting Conveyances," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the "Act to enable the owners of swamps or meadow ground to drain the same, and to repeal the law heretofore made for that purpose," passed November twenty-fourth, seventeen hundred and ninety-two,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to facilitate the Administration of Justice,"

Was taken up and read a second time, and while the first section thereof was under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Fithian, the further consideration thereof was postponed for the present,

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act for the Punishment of Crimes,"

On motion of Mr. Sitgreaves, was again

taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Pavonia Ferry Company," passed February the twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections,

and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to prevent a certain mode of Gunning along the Sea Coast,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act authorizing the administrators of Thomas Van Riper, to sell Real Estate,

Was taken up and read a second time, when

On motion of Mr. Sitgreaves, the further consideration thereof was postponed for the present.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Patterson Gas Light Company," passed the ninth day of December, eighteen hundred and twenty-five,

Was taken up and read a second time, considered by sections,

And the third section thereof as follows:

3. AND BE IT ENACTED, That this further supplement shall take effect immediately,

And being upon the question of agreeing to the same,

The yeas and nays were demanded thereon, and decreed in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Mannars, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie,—15.

NAYS.—Mr. Potts—1.

So said section was agreed to.

The remaining sections were considered, amended and agreed to, and the bill ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Mulford, gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to Incorporate the City of Camden," approved March the fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Mr. Fithian gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Port Elizabeth and Millville Turnpike Company.

Mr. Canfield gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of works to supply the City of Paterson with Water.

On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,

The Senate then adjourned.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Rogers.

Mr. Alexander presented the petition of John T. Halstead and others, residents of the city of Trenton, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, altering the limits of the city of Trenton, so as to exclude the farm of E. T. C. Atterbury, from said city.

The same gentleman presented the petition of George Dean

and others, farmers of the township of Ewing, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, upon the same subject.

Which were severally read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Mulford presented the petition of Samuel D. Sparks and others, inhabitants of the township of Washington, in the county of Camden, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to enable them to move the ballot-box on election day, to two places in said township, to accommodate the voters thereof.

Which was read and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Jersey City Gas Light Company, 1881

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to incorporate the Florence and Freehold Plank or Turnpike Road Company,

Reported the same without amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bills from the House of Assembly, severally entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company." approved March the eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

And also,

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to incorporate the Red Bank Steamboat Company,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred,

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to authorize and empower the inhabitants of the City of Trenton, to construct works to supply said city with water, and to provide means therefor by loan,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Rogers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

The Joint Resolutions No. 2, from the House of Assembly, entitled,

Joint Resolutions to provide for the safe keeping of the Bonds, Mortgages and other securities belonging to, or deposited with the State.

Also,

The bills from the House of Assembly, severally entitled

An act to Dam off Cape Island Creek.

And also,

A supplement to "An act to enable the owners of Swamp or Meadow Ground, to drain the same, and to repeal the law heretofore made for that purpose," passed November the twenty-fourth, seventeen hundred and ninety-two,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act relative to foreign Judgments.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Wallace, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Salem County," passed February the twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Burk presented the petition of John B. Hilyard and others, inhabitants of the county of Gloucester, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State to enable Edward Jonkin to build a bridge or dam from the Jersey shore to Jonkin's Island, in the river Delaware.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Greer, from the Committee on Unfinished Business of last session,

Reported, That the Committee on Unfinished Business of the last session of the Legislature, upon a further examination of the files of the Senate, find the following bill among the bills laid over:

No. 1. A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson and Hackensack Railroad Company," approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to alter the north-western boundary of the city of Trenton,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriskie—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Davis, Hopper, and Sitgreaves—7.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary

carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Middletown and Shrewsbury Steamboat and Transportation Company,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, and Greer—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Manufacturing Company," passed February twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight,

Was then taken then up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Geer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—20.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Pavonia Ferry Company," passed February the twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine."

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—Mr. Satterthwaite—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to Incorporate the Patterson Gas Light Company," passed the ninth day of December, eighteen hundred and thirty-five,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriskie—19.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill entitled,

An act to Incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company,

Was taken up and read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock, the Senate met.

Mr. Canfield presented the petition of Horatio Moses and others, inhabitants of the city of Patterson, in the county of Passaic, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State to authorize the authorities of said city to contract a public debt, and supply the said city with pure and wholesome water.

Which was read, and ordered to be referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred,

A bill entitled,

An act to confirm the title of Horatio T. Wells, to certain lands in Camden.

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred,

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable the townships of Dover, Middletown and Howell, in the county of Monmouth, to sell and convey certain Real Estate therein.

named," passed February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-three,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to annex Petty's Island to the township of Delaware, in the county of Camden,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Erina Benevolent Association, of the City of Newark,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Congar, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Rahway Steam Brick Company,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Davis gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company."

Mr. Congar gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson."

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined,

The bills severally entitled,

An act to establish a new Township in the County of Warren, to be called the Township of Stewartsville.

And,

An act respecting annual reports to the Legislature, of Rail Road and other companies.

And,

An act to authorize the administrators of George C. Rumsey, of the county of Salem, to deliver certain deeds.

And also,

The Joint Resolutions, No. 3, entitled;

Joint Resolutions for the appointment of Commissioners to report amendments of the system of Jurisprudence of this State, and provide for the election of certain officers by the people.

And also,

The amendments made to the bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to prevent a certain mode of Gunning along the Sea Coast.

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Zabriskie, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the partition of lands in cases where particular undivided shares therein are limited over,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act respecting annual reports to the Legislature, of Rail Roads and other companies.

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burke, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Green, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Wallace and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rogers—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Senate took a recess,
For the purpose of making nominations.

The nominations on the part of the Senate having been completed,

The Senate again came to order.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, the Clerk, informed the Senate that he was directed

By the House of Assembly, to furnish the Senate with a copy of the nominations made, and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly is now ready to go into Joint Meeting, and awaits the presence of the Senate in the Assembly Chamber.

The nominations having been read,

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The President and members of the Senate proceeded to the Assembly Room, and after some time spent in Joint Meeting,

The Senate again came to order.

Mr. Sitgreaves offered the following concurrent resolution :

Resolved, (the House of Assembly concurring,)—That the Secretary of the State be authorized to procure, if possible, from the Superintendent of the Census Department, an abstract of the population of New Jersey, distinguishing sex, color, &c., arranged by counties and townships. Also, an abstract, showing the Agricultural productions of each township, amount of Manufactures, and such other information as he may deem necessary, to be compiled from the late reports in the Census Department, and that the

same be printed as an Appendix to the pamphlet laws of the present session.

Which being read,

Mr. Zabriskie moved to strike out the words, ("and such other information as he may deem necessary") from said Resolution.

Which motion was agreed to, and said words struck out accordingly.

Said concurrent resolution was then agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed said concurrent resolution, and request their assent thereto.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting Conveyances," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

On motion of Mr. Edmunds,
The Senate then adjourned.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The Session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Rogers.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled;

An act to authorize the Partition of Lands in cases where particular undivided shares therein are limited over,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Salem County," passed March the sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined,

The bills severally entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February the twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and three,

And;

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere and Delaware Rail Road Company," passed March second, eighteen hundred and thirty six,

And,

A further supplement to the act concerning Roads,

And also,

An act to incorporate the Manufacturer's Fire and Marine Insurance Company of Newark, New Jersey,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Satterthwaite, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked, and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Medford and Tuckerton Turnpike Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Hopper,

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson and Hackensack Rail Road Company," approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Being a bill reported by the Committee on Unfinished Business of the last session of the Legislature,

Was taken up, read the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Birdsall, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Congar gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act concerning Pardons.

Mr. Alexander gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act for the Limitation of Actions.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate The Manufacturer's Fire and Marine Insurance Company of Newark, New Jersey,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

An act to make taxes a lien upon real estate in the county of Passaic, and to authorize the sale of the same for the payment thereof.

And also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the hours of labor, and to prevent the employment of children in Factories, under ten years of age."

To which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And that the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate, severally entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act securing to mechanics and others, payment for their labor and materials in erecting any house or other building within the limits therein mentioned," approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

And also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Exploring and Mining Company," approved February fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Without amendment.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to establish a new township in the County of Warren, to be called the Township of Stewartsville,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rodgers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Roads," approved the sixteenth day of April, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,
Reported that they had examined

The joint resolutions, No. 4, entitled,
Joint Resolutions, for the relief of Francis Lee and James
Ward, Commissioners,
And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere and Delaware Rail Road Company," passed March second, eighteen hundred and forty six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February the twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and three,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Satterthwaite, Silgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize the administrators of George C. Ramsey, of the county of Salem, to deliver certain deeds,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Wallace—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to prevent a certain mode of Gunning along the Sea Coast,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,
Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended,
pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk,

Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fittman, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Polls, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAVS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The bill entitled,

An act to provide for the working and repair of Turnpike roads in the counties of Bergen and Passaic, which have been or shall be neglected or abandoned by the corporations by whom they were, or shall be constructed,

Was taken up and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Congar, the further consideration thereof was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting imprisonment for debt, in cases of fraud," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time,

And while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Sitgreaves, the further consideration thereof was postponed for the present.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to Dam off Cape Island Creek,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable the townships of Dover, Middletown and Howell, in the county of Monmouth, to sell and convey certain Real Estate therein named," passed February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-three,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to authorize and empower the authorities of the City of Trenton to construct works to supply said city with water, and to provide means therefor by loan,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bills severally, entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act securing to mechanics and others, payment for their labor and materials in erecting any house or other building within the limits therein mentioned," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Exploring and Mining Company," passed February fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Burke presented the petition of **Hudson A. Springer** and others, inhabitants of the village of **Pedricktown**, in the county of **Salem**, for the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to prevent swine from running at large in the counties of **Salem** and **Gloucester**, within two miles of the **Cross Roads**, in said village of **Pedricktown**.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on **Miscellaneous Business**.

Mr. Wallace presented the petition of **Jonas C. Chew** and others, inhabitants of this State, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to grant a charter for a **Steamboat Company**, to be called "**The Steam Navigation Company**."

Which was read, and referred to the committee on **Corporations**.

The following message was received from the Governor by the hands of **ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq.**, his **Private Secretary**.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, {
Trenton, February 6, 1852.

To the Senate,

GENTLEMEN:—In compliance with the request contained in the Joint Resolutions which passed the two Houses of the Legislature, "In relation to Governor Kossuth and the doctrine of National Non-Intervention," I transmitted a certified copy of said Resolutions to **Louis Kossuth**, by the hands of my Aid-de-Camp, **Lieut. Col. Carret S. Cannon**, by whom they were delivered in person, at **Cleveland**, in the State of **Ohio**, on **Monday, the third inst.**, in a very satisfactory and appropriate manner.

I embraced the occasion to forward to Governor Kossuth

a letter, expressive of my own views and feelings upon the subject. A copy of the same is herewith transmitted :— Also, a copy of the reply of his Excellency, the Governor of Hungary, to said communication.

All of which is respectfully transmitted for the information of the Senate.

GEO. F. FORT.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, EXECUTIVE DEPT., }
Trenton, January 30, 1852. }

His Excellency, Louis Kossuth :—Sir :

I have the honor of transmitting to your Excellency a certified copy of certain resolutions in relation to your Excellency, and to the doctrine of national non-intervention, which have passed the Senate and General Assembly of this State.

These resolutions meet my cordial assent, and I believe the approbation of the citizens of this State. Permit me to unite with the two Houses in the earnest and sincere wish that you will find it convenient to visit our State Capital at an early day, and if possible, before the adjournment of the Legislature. Be assured of our ardent sympathy for the wrongs of your country and your own success in the noble efforts you are making for the freedom and rights of Hungary.

My Aid-de-camp, Lieut. Col. G. S. Cannon, is the bearer of this, together with the resolutions herein referred to.

I have the honor to be,

With high respect,

Your obedient servant,

GEO. F. FORT.

CLEVELAND, February 3, 1852.

His Excellency, Gov. George F. Fort :

Excellency—Lieut. Col. G. S. Cannon has delivered me your kind letter and the resolutions adopted by the Legislature of New Jersey, which as you were kind to assure me, met your Excellency's cordial assent, and the approbation of the citizens of this State, which was also the stronghold of the doctrine and the principles of national independence.

Be pleased, Excellency, to receive, and to express to the Legislature my most hearty thanks for the honor the commonwealth of New Jersey has conferred upon me, and for the acknowledgement of the great principle of non-intervention, declaring every forcible intervention of one Government to alter, modify, abolish or prescribe the form of government of another nation, to be an infraction of the law of nations. I am firmly convinced that the Legislature and the government of New Jersey will take the necessary steps that this great principle should be adopted and respected.

I have the firm intention to avail myself of your generous invitation before I leave the United States, but it is impossible for me to fix the precise time of my return to the Eastern States.

Allow me also to express my high regards which I entertain for your Excellency, and for your ardent sympathy for the success of Freedom and right in Hungary, which depends so much upon the action of the United States.

I have the honor to be,

With high respect,

Excellency, Your obedient servant,

L. ROSSUTH,

Which was read with the accompanying correspondence, and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the hours of labor, and to prevent the employment of children in Factories, under ten years of age."

Was taken up, read for a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to make taxes a lien upon real estate in the county of Passaic, and to authorize the sale of the same for the payment thereof.

Was taken up, read a the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Florence and Freehold Plank or Turnpike Road Company,

Was taken up and read a second time, considered by sections,

And the first section thereof, as follows :

6. *And be it enacted*, That it shall and may be lawful for said company to construct and make a turnpike or plank road from Florence to Freehold, in the counties of Burlington and Monmouth, at least thirty-two feet in width, which said turnpike or plank road shall be sufficiently arched and drained to make and keep the same dry, and at least sixteen feet thereof shall be sufficiently bedded and faced with stone, gravel, plank, or other material, to make a solid, firm and even road at all seasons of the year ; and it shall be so graded that, in its progress, no part of said road shall rise above an angle of six degrees with the plane of the horizon, and the said company shall construct, keep in repair and maintain good and sufficient bridges along the line of said road, not less than twenty-two feet in width, and whenever the said road shall be raised so much at the margin or side as to render carriages passing thereon liable to upset, the said company shall cause good and sufficient railings to be erected and maintained on the sides, so as to prevent horses from running off, and the said company

may, by its officers, agents or other persons in their employ, enter from time to time and at all times, upon all lands, to search for stone, gravel, sand, clay, or other material for improving said road as aforesaid, doing no unnecessary damage to said land, and it shall be lawful for the said company at any time to drive piles and erect or build piers, wharves, platforms, or other works necessary for a safe and substantial steamboat landing on the Delaware river at Florence, *provided*, that before the said company shall construct the said turnpike or plank road and wharves aforesaid it shall pay to the respective owners of the land over which the same shall pass or be erected, all damage which the said owners will sustain by reason of the construction of said turnpike or plank road and wharves, and in case the said company and any of the owners cannot agree upon the amount of said damage, then the damage shall be ascertained and determined as near as may be in the manner hereinafter provided for ascertaining and determining the damage which any landholder or owners shall sustain by the taking of stone gravel or other materials from his or her land for the constructing or maintaining of said turnpike or plank road.

Mr. Potts moved to amend the same by striking out the word "sixteen," in the fifth line, between the words "least" and "feet," and insert the word "twenty" in lieu thereof.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Burk and Potts—2.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriskie—13.

So said motion to amend was not agreed to.

The seventh and remaining sections of said bill were considered, amended, and agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce.

A bill entitled,

§ A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the Practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty six.

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.]

The Joint Resolutions No. 2, from the House of Assembly, entitled,

Joint Resolutions to provide for the safe keeping of the Bonds, Mortgages and other securities belonging to, or deposited with the State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to "An act to enable the owners of Swamp or Meadow Ground, to drain the same, and to repeal the law heretofore made for that purpose," passed November the twenty-fourth, seventeen hundred and ninety-two,

Was taken up and read a second time,
And while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Fithian, the same was postponed for the present.

A sealed message, marked "*nominations*," was received from the Governor, by the hands of Isaac W. Mickle, Esq., his private Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate went into executive session, and after some time spent therein,

The Senate again came to order.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to annex Petty's Island to the Township of Delaware, in the county of Camden,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to facilitate the administration of Justice,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to be engrossed and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company," approved March the eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

Was taken up and read a second time,

And while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Congar, the same was postponed for the the present.

Mr. Bleecker offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it adjourn to meet on Monday next, at three o'clock, P. M.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwalte, and Zabriskie—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Craig, and Wallace—4.

So said resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Mulford, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to Incorporate the City of Camden," approved March the fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Fithian,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock, the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Hall.

Mr. Hopper presented the petition of John D. Westervelt and others, inhabitants of the county of Bergen, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, creating a general law for Railroad Companies.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Mulford presented the remonstrance of William C. Gregory and others, inhabitants of the city of Cape Island, against the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, incorporating Congress Hall Hotel, at Cape Island.

Which was ordered to lie upon the table without reading.

The same gentleman presented the petition of Horace Barr and others, inhabitants of the city of Cape Island, against the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to incorporate the Congress Hall Hotel Company, at Cape Island.

Also,

The petition of Jacob Hand and others, upon the same subject.

Also,

The petition of Henry Foster and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also,

The petition of Elias H. Hughes and others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also,

The petition of Matthew Whelden and others, upon the same subject.

Also,

The petition of James Clark and others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also,

The petition of Clark Polly and others, upon the same subject.

Which were severally ordered to lie on the table without reading.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act for the Limitation of Actions."

Which was read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred the petition of Jonas C. Chew and others, upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Oldman's Creek Steam Navigation Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Medford and Tuckerton Turnpike Road Company.

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act to set off a new township from the township of Harrison, in the county of Hudson, and to annex the same to the county of Bergen,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Sitgreaves gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to annex part of the township of Mansfield to the township of Oxford, in the county of Warren.

Mr. Alexander offered the following resolution :

Resolved, (the House of Assembly concurring,) That the Joint Committee to which was referred that portion of the Governor's Message relating to the banks of this State, be instructed to enquire whether Banks chartered by special act of incorporation, by the Legislature of this State, are in a state of suspension ; and if so, to report a bill or bills for the repeal of the charters of said Banks.

Which was read, and unanimously agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed said concurrent resolution, and request their assent thereto.

Mr. Davis, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Monmouth County Life and Health Insurance Company,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to Dam off Cape Island Creek,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEs.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace.—14

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bill entitled,

An act for the more speedy and better collecting of unpaid taxes in the township of West Milford, in the county of Passaic, and the township of Deptford, in the county of Gloucester,

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And that the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate, entitled,

An act to authorize the chosen Freeholders of the county of Monmouth, to build a bridge over Compton's Creek, near the dock of the Compton's Creek Company,

With sundry amendments,

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And that the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate entitled,

An act to incorporate the Congress Hall Hotel Company,

With an amendment.

In which amendment the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And further,

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Pavonia Land-Association,

And has caused the said bill to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

And,

I am further directed to inform the Senate, that the House of Assembly has concurred

To the concurrent resolution from the Senate, authorizing the Secretary of State to procure, if possible, from the Superintendant of the Census Department, an abstract of the population of New Jersey, distinguishing by color, &c., and arranged by counties and townships.

Also, an abstract, showing the Agricultural productions of each township, and amount of Manufactures, to be compiled from the late reports in the Census Department, and that the same be printed as an Appendix to the pamphlet laws of the present session.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable the townships of Dover, Middletown and Howely in the county of Monmouth, to sell and convey certain Real Estate therein named," passed February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-three,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to authorize and empower the inhabitants of the City of Trenton to construct works to supply said city with water, and to provide means therefor by loan,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere and Water Gap Rail Road Company," approved February the twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed; and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the National Insurance Company;

Was taken up and read a second time, considered by sec-

tions, amended, and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed and the bill have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the more speedy and better collecting of unpaid taxes in the township of West Milford, in the county of Passaic, and the township of Deptford, in the county of Gloucester,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Chosen Freeholders of the county of Monmouth, to build a bridge over Compton's Creek, near the Dock of Compton's Creek Company,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and the amendments to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Congress Hall Hotel Company,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the said bill ordered to be re-engrossed and have a final reading.

The President presented the following communication :

The Hon. the members of the Legislature,

Are respectfully invited to attend the introductory Lecture of the Rev. Dr. Baird, on Europe, to be delivered this evening at the Temperance Hall, at half past seven o'clock.

Which was read and the invitation accepted.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Turnpike Company,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Congar,
The Senate then adjourned.

[TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1852.]

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer, by the Rev. Mr. Hall.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the Limitation of Actions."

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred,

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to Incorporate the City of Camden," approved March the fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentlemen, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act regulating elections in the township of Washington, in the county of Camden,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled;

An act to incorporate the Monmouth County Life and Health Insurance Company,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The re-engrossed bill, as amended by the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to incorporate the Congress Hall Hotel Company,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Rogers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the hours of labor, and to prevent the employment of children in factories, under ten years of age,"

And also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the more speedy and better collecting of unpaid taxes, in the township of West Milford, in the county of Passaic, and the township of Deptford, in the county of Gloucester,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Satterthwaite, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked, and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled;

An act to authorize the sale of one-half of the lower portion of Burlington or Matinnicunk Island.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The same gentleman, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled;

An act to incorporate the Managers and Treasurer of the School Fund, for the education of youth in the City of Burlington.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Davis, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled;

An act to determine and mark the height to which Mill Dams or Flood Gates shall be made and held, in cases where controversies arise between proprietors of Mill sites.

Which was read the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Sitgreaves, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to annex part of the township of Mansfield to the township of Oxford, in the county of Warren.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Alexander gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled;

Joint Resolutions for the purchase of Stephens' Historical Index of New Jersey.

Mr. Rogers gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled;

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of New Brunswick," approved February twenty, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

The joint resolution, No. 3, entitled,

Joint Resolutions No. 3, for the appointment of Commis-

sioners to report amendments of the system of Jurisprudence of this State, and provide for the election of certain officers by the people,

Was taken up and read a third time,

And while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The same was postponed for the present.

A message from the House of Assembly by Mr. Marr the Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly had passed;

The bill from the Senate entitled,

An act to prevent Horses, Cattle, Sheep, and Swine, from running at large in the townships of Hackensack and Harrington, in the county of Bergen,

Without amendment.

And,

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the concurrent resolution from the Senate, as follows :

That the Joint Committee to which was referred that portion of the Governor's message relating to the Banks of this State be instructed to enquire whether any Banks chartered by special acts of incorporation by the Legislature of this State, are in a state of suspension, and if so, to report a bill or bills for the repeal of the charters of said Banks.

The engrossed Joint resolution entitled,

Joint Resolutions, for the relief of Francis Lee and James Ward, Commissioners,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall these engrossed joint resolutions pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers and Zabriskie—5.

Ordered, That the President sign said joint resolution, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said joint resolution, and request their concurrence.

Mr. Hopper gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Congress Hall Hotel Company,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass? .

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Rogers—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Craig, and Sitgreaves—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Zinc Mine's Plank Road Company,

Was then taken up and read a third time. .

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriske—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,
Reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,
An act to Incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company,
And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The engrossed bill entitled,
An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edwards, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabris-
kie—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Craig—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The Joint Resolution, No 2, from the House of Assembly, entitled,

Joint Resolution to provide for the safe keeping of the Bonds, Mortgages, and other securities belonging to, or deposited with the State,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall the joint resolutions from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said joint resolution, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said joint resolution, from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to annex Petty's Island to the township of Delaware, in the county of Camden,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill entitled,

An act to prevent Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Swine from running at large in the Townships of Hackensack and Harrington, in the county of Bergen,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Satterthwaite presented the petition of John D. Thompson and others, inhabitants of the townships of Medford, Washington, and Egg Harbor, in the county of Burlington, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to grant a charter for the construction of a Gravel, Plank or Pole Road, from Medford to Tuckerton, in the county of Burlington.

Which was read and ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to make taxes a lien upon real estate in the county of Passaic, and to authorize the sale of the same for the payment thereof,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred a petition upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Millville and Malaga Turnpike Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred the petition upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Port Elizabeth and Millville Turnpike Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

Reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act for the Punishment of Crimes."

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mendham Aqueduct Company.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere and Water Gap Rail Road Company," approved February the twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty one.

Also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Chosen Freeholders of the county of Monmouth, to build a bridge over Compton's Creek, near the Dock of Compton's Creek Company,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, reported that they had examined

The engrossed amendments made in the Senate, to bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Florence and Freehold Plank or Turnpike Road Company.

Also,

The amendments made in the Senate to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled: "An act to facilitate the Administration of Justice."

And also,

The amendments made in the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to incorporate the National Insurance Company,

And find the amendments thereto to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Sitgreaves gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce.

A bill entitled,

An act explanatory of an act entitled, "A supplement to the act entitled, An act to prevent in certain cases the abatement of suits, and the reversal of Judgments," approved March seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize the chosen Freeholders of the county of Monmouth, to build a bridge over Compton's Creek, near the dock of the Compton's Creek Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Craig, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill; the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill; and has ordered said bill to be re engrossed, and passed the same.

The engrossed bill entitled;

An act to incorporate the Mendham Aqueduct Company,

Was then taken up and read a third time:

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS —None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere and Water Gap Rail Road Company," approved February twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of Crimes,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—19.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to set off a new township from the township of Harrison, in the county of Hudson, and to annex the same to the county of Bergen,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—8.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The joint resolutions, No. 3, entitled,

Joint Resolutions, No. 3, for the appointment of Commissioners to report amendments of the system of Jurisprudence of this State, and provide for the election of certain officers by the people,

Which had been postponed at the last adjournment,

On motion of Mr. Alexander,
Was then taken up.

Mr. Zabriskie moved to reconsider the vote upon which they had been ordered to be engrossed, in order to strike out the amendments made thereto upon the second reading, requiring the Commissioners to report upon the Constitution at the present session, and that the said joint resolutions might be re-committed.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—6.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

So said motion to reconsider was not agreed to.

The said Joint Resolution entitled,

Joint Resolution, No. 3, for the appointment of Commissioners to report amendments to the system of Jurisprudence of this State, and provide for the election of certain officers by the people,

Was then taken up and read a third time, and put upon its final passage.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed joint resolution pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Mannes, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—Messrs. Fithian, and Satterthwaite—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said joint resolution, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said joint resolution, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
 An act to incorporate the Florence and Freehold Plank or
 Turnpike Road Company,
 And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass ?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs: Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Can-
 field, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners,
 (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and
 Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary
 carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the
 Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with
 sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence
 of the House of Assembly is requested.

Mr. Mulford gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or
 some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public
 Schools in the township of Salem, in the county of Salem,"
 approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-
 nine.

On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to facilitate
 the administration of Justice,"

Was taken up, and the vote by which it was ordered to a
 third reading, re-considered,

And while under consideration to amend,

The further consideration thereof was postponed for the
 present.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act authorizing the administrators of Thomas Van Kiper, to sell Real Estate,

Was taken up, and

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,

The enacting clause thereof was stricken out.

Mr. Alexander moved that the further consideration of the said bill from the House of Assembly be indefinitely postponed.

Said motion was agreed to, and the further consideration of the said bill was indefinitely postponed.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Congress Hall Hotel Company,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

" I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

SAMUEL A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Mulford,

The Senate then adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Hall.

Mr. Alexander presented the remonstrance of Benjamin Horner and others, inhabitants of the city of Burlington, remonstrating against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State to sell Burlington Island,

Which was read, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

The President laid before the Senate the Resolutions of the Common Council of the city of Burlington, against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State, for the sale of Matinicum or Burlington Island.

Which were read, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the sale of one-half of the lower portion of Matinicum or Burlington Island.

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred the petition of John B. Hilliard and others, upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

An act authorizing the construction of a Bridge or dam from the fast land to Jonkin's Island, in the Delaware river.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to determine and mark the height to which Mill Dams or Flood Gates shall be made and held, in cases where controversies arise between proprietors of Mill sites,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to annex part of the township of Mansfield to the township of Oxford, in the county of Warren,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Congar, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

An act concerning Pardons.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Hopper, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company.

Which was read the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Mulford, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools, in the township of Salem, in the county of Salem," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Alexander gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,
 Supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the Courts of Law."

Mr. Zabriskie gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act constituting Courts for the trial of small causes."

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
 An act to incorporate the National Insurance Company,
 And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—16.

NAYS.—Messrs. Greer—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

A Message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

An act authorizing the enclosure of a certain tract of Land, situate in the township of Pequannac, in the county of Morris, and called Tom's Point.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to set off from the townships of Medford, Southampton and Washington, in the county of Burlington, a new township, to be called the township of Shamong.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act for the suppression of Lotteries."

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to alter the boundary line between Newark and Clinton, in the county of Essex,

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

"An Act to incorporate the Good Intent Hose Company of Mount Holly,"

And has caused the said bill to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

And that the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate severally entitled,

An act explanatory of an act, approved March the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and entitled a supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting executions, and regulating the sale of personal estate, by virtue thereof," approved April the sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

The bill from the Senate entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Without amendment.

And that the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate, entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate pro-

ceedings against them," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

With amendments,

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting imprisonment for debt, in cases of fraud," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a second time,

And while under consideration,

On motion, the same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to fishing in Oldman's Creek, in the counties of Salem and Gloucester," passed March fifth, eighteen hundred and thirty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Salem County Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February the twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning Idiots and Lunatics,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the poor," approved April the tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Chosen Freeholders of the county of Monmouth, to build a bridge over Compton's Creek, near the Dock of the Compton's Creek Company,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

SAMUEL A. ALLEN, -

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize John Tomson, Trustee of John B. Hughes, to convey certain Real Estate,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The following message was received from the Governor by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary :

[For Governor's communication, &c., in relation to the erection of National Monuments at Philadelphia, see Appendix.]

Which was read with the accompanying documents, and the same

Ordered to be referred to a special committee to be appointed for that purpose, and

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie, the usual number of copies ordered to be printed for the use of the Senate.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Hudson Ferry Company, in the county of Hudson, New Jersey,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature, and the distribution thereof, and of the laws of the United States," approved April the sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Salem County," passed March the sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Jersey City Gas Light Company."

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Oldman's Creek Steam Navigation Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act authorizing the construction of a Bridge or dam from the fast land to Jonkin's Island, in the Delaware river,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A supplement to "An act to enable the owners of Swamper

Meadow Ground, to drain the same, and to repeal the law heretofore made for that purpose," passed November the twenty-fourth, seventeen hundred and ninety-two,

Was taken up and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Mulford, the further consideration thereof was postponed for the present.

Mr. Rogers, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of New Brunswick," approved February twenty, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to confirm a Deed of Conveyance from Lewis R. Marsh, one of the Executors of the last Will and Testament of Ralph Marsh, late of Rahway, Essex county, deceased, to James Moore, dated June fourth, eighteen hundred and four.

On motion of Mr. Mulford,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Bleecker, from the committee on Education, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Managers and Treasurer of the School Fund, for the education of youth in the City of Burlington,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the suppression of Lotteries."

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to set off from the townships of Medford, Southampton, and Washington, in the county of Burlington, a new township, to be called the township of Shamong.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to alter the boundary line between Newark and Clinton, in the county of Essex.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act authorizing the enclosure of a certain tract of Land, situate in the township of Pequannac, in the county of Morris, and State of New Jersey, and called Toms' Point.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to

have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the "Act to enable the owners of swamps or meadow ground to drain the same, and to repeal the law heretofore made for that purpose," passed November twenty-fourth, seventeen hundred and ninety-two,

Which was postponed at the last adjournment,

Was again taken up, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be postponed to be re-printed.

The Joint Resolution from the House of Assembly, entitled,

Joint resolutions in relation to the producer of Coal, and manufacturer of Iron and Glass,

Was taken up and read a second time, and the second resolution thereof, as follows,

2. *And be it Resolved*, That while all the principal governments of Europe lavish the most generous encouragements on the production of the mines and the various manufactures of iron, the United States will be derelict to an enlarged and sagacious national policy, unless they afford that needful support which is essential to the development of the boundless treasures in coal and iron which abound in various parts of our country.

And being under consideration;

Mr. Zabriskie moved to strike out the words in the fourth line "unless they afford," after the word "policy," and insert the words "and have not afforded," in lieu thereof. And also the words "will be" in the third line, and insert the words "have been," in lieu thereof.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon; were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdall, Ganfield, Congar, Edmunds, Filthian, Rogers Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexandeer, Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves and Wallace—11.

So said motion to strike out and amend, was not agreed to.
The said Resolution was then agreed to.

The third Resolution being under consideration, was read as follows :

3. *And be it Resolved*, That we approve of the well-known declaration of Andrew Jackson, that our country ought to be rendered independent of all the world, for her supply of iron and its manufactures, and that such independence is necessary for purposes of national defence.

The same gentleman moved to strike out the words "Andrew Jackson," in the second line of the Resolution.

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hoppèr, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

So said motion to strike out was not agreed to.

The said Resolution was then agreed to.

The fifth Resolution being under consideration, was read as follows :

5, *And be it Resolved*, That our Senators in Congress are hereby instructed, and our Representatives therein requested to use all proper exertions to procure sufficient legislative enactments to relieve the iron producer and manufacturer from those difficulties with which they are oppressed, and enable them to meet on equal terms the competition of the world.

The same gentleman moved to strike out the words from the first and second lines "hereby instructed, and our Representatives therein," and insert in the first line after the words "Senators" the words "and Representatives."

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, and Zabriskie—5.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

So said motion to strike out was not agreed to.

The said Resolution was then agreed to.

The sixth and remaining Resolutions were read, amended, and agreed to, and the Resolutions ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to make taxes a lien upon real estate in the county of Passaic, and to authorize the sale of the same for the payment thereof,

Was taken up, read a second time,

And while under consideration,

The further consideration thereof was postponed for the present.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company," approved March the eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

Was taken up and read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The President announced the following Special Committee, on the Governor's Message and accompanying documents from the city Councils of Philadelphia, viz:

Messrs. Zabriskie, Canfield, and Mulford.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the hours of labor, and to prevent the employment of children in Factories, under ten years of age,"

Was taken up and read a second time,

And while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,
The same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

An act to confirm the title of Horatio T. Wells, to certain lands in Camden.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the partition of lands in cases where particular undivided shares therein are limited over,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, and the amendments read and disagreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate do not concur in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill.

Mr. Zabriskie, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred.

A bill entitled,

An act relative to foreign judgments.

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

On motion of Mr. Potts,

The Senate then adjourned.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Hall.

The bills severally entitled,

An act explanatory of an act approved March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and entitled a supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting Executions, and regulating the sale of Personal Estate by virtue thereof," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Petts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company,
Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate

the Princeton Bank," passed the twenty-fourth day of February, eighteen hundred and thirty-four,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act incorporating Homestead and Building Companies,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Alexander gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

Joint resolutions entitled,

Joint Resolutions for the purchase of Stephens' Historical Index of New Jersey.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The same gentleman, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Trenton Mutual Life and Fire Insurance Company."

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on so much of the Governor's Message as relates to Banking, reported

A bill entitled,

An act relative to the redemption of Bank Notes.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, reported
A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the business of banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

On motion of the same gentleman, one hundred and fifty extra copies of each of the above named bills be printed for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Hopper gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act for establishing a Turnpike road, from the town of Hackensack to Hoboken, in the county of Bergen," passed November thirtieth, eighteen hundred and two.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would, on to-morrow or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate and widen the draws in the bridges over the Hackensack river," passed March third, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight.

Mr. Greer gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Sussex and Warren Railroad Company," approved February twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Mr. Sitgreaves, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent in certain cases the abatement of suits and reversal of judgments," approved March seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A message from the House of Assembly by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Westfield and Camden Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against absconding and absent debtors," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to confirm acknowledgments and proofs of Deeds and other instruments taken by Benjamin Dey.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill entitled,

An act to prevent a certain mode of Gunning along the Sea Coast,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

Also,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the

Westfield and Camden Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to confirm acknowledgments and proofs of Deeds, and other instruments, taken by Benjamin Dey.

And also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled, "An act for the relief of creditors against absconding and absent Debtors," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February the twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

The bill entitled,

An act to prevent Swine from running at large in Millville, in the county of Cumberland, May's Landing, in the county of Atlantic, and Pedricktown, in the county of Salem,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the hours

of labor, and to prevent the employment of children in Factories, under ten years of age,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to make taxes a lien upon real estate in the county of Passaic, and to authorize the sale of the same for the payment thereof,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to "An act to enable the owners of Swamp or Meadow Ground, to drain the same, and to repeal the law heretofore made for that purpose," passed November the twenty-fourth, seventeen hundred and ninety-two,

Having been postponed to be re-printed,

Was taken up and read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting imprisonment for debt, in cases of fraud," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a second time,

And while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the further consideration thereof was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Monmouth County Life and Health Insurance Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting imprisonment for debt in cases of fraud," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Which had been postponed, .

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be re-printed and engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time,
And while under consideration,
On motion of Mr. Alexander,
The same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Greer,

The Senate then adjourned. .

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Rogers presented the memorial of James Moore, an inhabitant of the town of Rahway, in the county of Essex, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to confirm a deed of conveyance from Lewis R. Marsh, as one of the Executors of Ralph Marsh, late of Rahway, Essex county, New Jersey, deceased, to this petitioner,

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act for the suppression of Lotteries."

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act concerning Pardons,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act for the benefit of Married Women.

Mr. Bleecker, from the committee on Education, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools, in the township of Salem, in the county of Salem," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Rogers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act authorizing the enclosure of a certain tract of Land, situate in the township of Pequannac, in the county of Morris, and State of New Jersey, and called Toms' Point,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

The same gentleman, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to confirm a Deed of Conveyance from Lewis R. Marsh, one of the Executors of the last Will and Testament

of Ralph Marsh, late of Rahway, Essex county, New Jersey, deceased, to James Moore, dated June the fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-seven.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to alter the boundary line between Newark and Clinton, in the county of Essex,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to annex part of the township of Mansfield to the township of Oxford, in the county of Warren,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to set off from the townships of Medford, Southampton, and Washington, in the county of Burlington, a new township, to be called the township of Shamong,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

The bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning the estate of persons who died insolvent,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

Reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to fishing in Oldman's Creek, in the counties of Salem and

Gloucester," passed March fifth, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning Idiots and Lunatics."

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Salem County Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February the twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

And also,

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize John Tomson, trustee of John B. Hughes, to convey certain Real Estate,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, reported that they had examined

The amendments made to the bills from the House of Assembly, severally entitled,

A supplement to the "Act to enable the owners of swamps or meadow ground to drain the same, and to repeal the law heretofore made for that purpose," passed November twenty-fourth, seventeen hundred and ninety-two,

And also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company." approved March the eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

And find the amendments thereto to be correctly engrossed.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning Idiots and Lunatics,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleeker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—20.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to fishing in Oldman's Creek, in the counties of Salem and Gloucester," passed March fifth, eighteen hundred and thirty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleeker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—19.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize John Temson, Trustee of John B. Hughes, to convey certain Real Estate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,

The further consideration thereof was postponed for the present.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the

Salem County Mutual Life Insurance Company," passed February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company," approved March the eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The further consideration of the same was postponed for the present.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to set off from the townships of Medford, Southampton and Washington, in the county of Burlington, a new township, to be called the township of Shamong,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the Practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to alter the boundary line between Newark and Clinton, in the county of Essex,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Red Bank Steamboat Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate then adjourned.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Hall.

Mr. Bleeker presented the remonstrance of Godfrey Reed and others, against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State in favor of the "Maine Law," or any further regulation of the sale of Spirituous Liquors.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to confirm the acknowledgment and proof of Deeds, and other instruments, taken by Benjamin Dey,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against absconding and absent debtors," approved April sixteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

And also,

The bill entitled,

An act to confirm a Deed of Conveyance, from Lewis R. Marsh, one of the Executors of the last Will and Testament of Ralph Marsh, late of Rahway, Essex county, New Jersey, deceased, to James Moore, dated June fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-seven,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined,

The bill entitled,

A Supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Salem County Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Also,

The amendments made in the Senate to

The Joint Resolution from the House of Assembly, entitled,

"Joint Resolutions in relation to the producer of Coal, and the Manufacturer of Iron and Glass,"

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Rogers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act for the purchase of Stephens' Historical Index of New Jersey,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

Mr. Mulford gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act concerning the duties of Attorney General.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Trenton Mutual Life and Fire Insurance Company."

Which was read the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of New Brunswick," approved February twenty, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Conveyances," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

Reported that they had examined

The amendments made in the Senate to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company." approved March the eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

And also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery,"

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Hudson Ferry Company, in the county of Hudson, New Jersey,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to alter the boundary line between Newark and Clinton, in the county of Essex,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The Joint Resolutions from the House of Assembly, entitled,

Joint resolutions in relation to the producer of Coal, and manufacturer of Iron and Glass,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time,

Upon the question,
Shall this joint resolution from the House of Assembly,
as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—18.

NAYS.—Messrs. Satterthwaite—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said joint resolution, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said joint resolution from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

A Message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bill entitled,

An act to provide for the incorporation of Insurance Companies,

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And also,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate entitled,

An act to incorporate the Newton Presbyterian Academy,
Without amendment.

And that the House of Assembly has receded from the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to

The bill from the Senate entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the hours

of labor, and to prevent the employment of children in factories, under ten years of age."

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Burk, Rogers, and Satterthwaite—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill; the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Red Bank Steamboat Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to set off from the townships of Medford, Southampton, and Washington, in the county of Burlington, a new township, to be called the township of Shamong,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—19.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act to enable the owners of Swamp or Meadow Ground, to drain the same, and to repeal the law heretofore made for that purpose," passed November the twenty-fourth, seventeen hundred and ninety-two,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—19.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The bill entitled, *AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE NEWTON PRESBYTERIAL ACADEMY,*

An act to incorporate the Newton Presbyterian Academy,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to provide for the incorporation of Insurance Companies,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the sale of one-half or the lower portion of Matipichunk or Burlington Island,

Was taken up and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,

The same was postponed, and made the special order for Tuesday next.

The bill entitled,

An act to determine and mark the height at which Mill Dams or Flood Gates shall be made and held, in cases where controversies arise between proprietors of Mill sites,

Was taken up and read a second time,

And while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Davis, the same was postponed for the present.

The following message was received from the Governor by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary:

"I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration."

RECEIVED BY THE HON. EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, TRENTON, FEBRUARY 12, 1852.

To the Senate,

Mr. President :—I have this day approved and signed the following bills which originated in your House :

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Jersey Exploring and Mining Company," approved February fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Also,

An act to authorize the chosen Freeholders of the county of Monmouth, to build a bridge over Compton's Creek, near the dock of the Compton's Creek Company.

Also,

An act to prevent Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Swine from running at large in the Townships of Hackensack and Harrington, in the county of Bergen.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Congress Hall Hotel Company.

Also,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act securing to mechanics and others, payment for their labor and materials in erecting any house or other building within the limits therein mentioned," approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

Also,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Juries and Verdicts," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

GEO. F. FORT.

The bill entitled;

An act to incorporate the Port Elizabeth and Millville Turnpike Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Edmunds,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met:

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent in certain cases the abatement of suits and reversal of Judgments," approved March seventh, eighteen hundred, and fifty.

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Vincentown and Mount Holly Turnpike Company,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Bleecker, from the committee on Education, to whom had been referred so much of the Governor's Message as relates to Education, reported

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to establish Public Schools."

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act authorizing the construction of a Bridge or dam from the east land to Jonkin's Island, in the Delaware river,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Canfield,

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the suppression of Lotteries,"

Was taken up, and re committed to the committee on the Judiciary.

The same gentleman moved that the vote by which

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to make taxes a lien upon real estate in the county of Passaic, and to authorize the sale of the same for the payment thereof,

Was ordered to a third reading,

Be re-considered.

Which motion was agreed to, and said vote re-considered accordingly.

The same gentleman presented the statement of the Managers of the Paterson Saving Bank.

Which was read, and ordered to be entered on the Minutes of the Journal.

*To the Honorable the Senate, and
General Assembly of the State of New Jersey :*

The Managers of the Paterson Saving Bank, in obedience to the provisions of the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson Saving Bank,"

RESPECTFULLY REPORT,

That there is now owing to depositors, the sum
of

	\$31,590 98
Interest account,	121 43
Surplus,	107 18

\$31,819 59 :

Invested in Stocks, Bonds, and Mortgages,	\$29,184 00
Balance in Treasurer's hands,	2,635 59

\$31,819 59

R. GERRICK, Pres't.

WM. GREENHILL, Sec'y.

Paterson Saving Bank, January 31, 1852.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Geer, Hopper, Managers, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Nair, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The Joint Resolution from the Senate entitled,

Joint Resolution for the appointment of Commissioners to report amendments to the system of Jurisprudence of this State, and provide for the election of certain officers by the people,

Also,

Joint resolution entitled,

Joint Resolution for the relief of Francis Lee and James Ward, Commissioners,

Without amendment.

And also,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate, entitled,

An act authorizing the incorporation of Plank Road Companies,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act respecting annual reports to the Legislature, of Rail Road and other companies,

With sundry amendments,

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act authorizing the construction of a Bridge or Dam from the fast land to Jonkin's Island, in the Delaware river,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A Supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Salem County," passed March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Potts.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company," approved March the eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the negative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Fithian, Greer, Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—10.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

Mr. Alexander gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

Bills severally entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System."

Also,

An act to erect parts of the counties of Hunterdon and Warren into a new county, to be called the county of Musconetcong.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to confirm the acknowledgment and proof of Deeds, and other instruments taken by Benjamin Dey,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled, "An act for the relief of creditors against absent and absconding Debtors," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Edmunds offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it adjourn to meet again on Monday next, at three o'clock, P. M.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Burk, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, and Wallace—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Craig, Fithian, Greer, Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—10.

So said resolution to adjourn was not agreed to.

The bill entitled,

An act incorporating Plank Road Companies,
 With the amendments thereto in the House of Assembly,
 Was taken up, and the amendments read, when
 On motion, the further consideration thereof was postponed
 for the present, and

The amendments ordered to be printed,

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, re-
 ported that they had examined,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act for the Limitation of Actions;
 And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill entitled,

An act respecting annual reports to the Legislature, of Rail
 Roads and other companies,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of As-
 sembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and
 the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and to have a final read-
 ing.

The bill entitled,

An act relative to foreign Judgments,

Was taken up and read a second time,

And while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The same was postponed for the present,

The following message was received from the Governor
 by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secre-
 tary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
 Trenton, February 13, 1852.

To the Senate,

Mr. President :—I have this day approved and signed the
 following bills which originated in your House :

An act explanatory of an act approved March fourteenth,
 eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and entitled a supplement to

an act entitled "An act respecting Executions, and regulating the sale of Personal Estate by virtue thereof," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

A supplement to an act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

An act to incorporate the Newton Presbyterial Academy,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February the twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

GEO. F. FORT.

Mr. Bleecker moved to re-consider the vote on the resolution to adjourn over until Monday next, at three o'clock, P. M.

Which motion to re-consider was agreed to.

Mr. Congar then moved that when the Senate adjourn, it adjourn to meet again on Monday next, at three o'clock, P. M.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, and Wallace—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Craig, Fithian, Greer, Mulford, Potts, Satterhwaite, and Sitgreaves—9.

So said motion to adjourn was not agreed to.

Mr. Canfield gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act concerning Landlord and Tenant," approved April fifteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Mr. Congar offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it will adjourn to meet on Monday afternoon at half past two o'clock.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) and Rogers—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Fithian, Greer, Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—9.

So said resolution to adjourn was not agreed to.

Mr. Fithian moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion was not agreed to.

Mr. Hopper moved that when the Senate adjourn, it will adjourn to meet again on Monday next, at twelve, noon.

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) and Rogers—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Craig, Fithian, Greer, Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—10.

So said motion to adjourn was not agreed to.

Mr. Fithian offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it adjourns to meet at seven o'clock, P. M.

Which resolution was read, and not agreed to.

The same gentleman moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion to adjourn was not agreed to.

Mr. Canfield moved that when the Senate adjourn, it will adjourn to meet again on Monday next, at a quarter before three o'clock, P. M.

Which motion to adjourn was agreed to.

Mr. Hopper moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.)—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Craig, Edmunds, Fithian, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves and Wallace—10.

So said motion to adjourn was not agreed to:

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act authorizing the enclosure of a certain tract of Land, situate in the township of Pequannac, in the county of Morris, and State of New Jersey, and called Toms' Point,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The same was postponed for the present.

On motion of Mr. Sitgreaves,

The Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, February 16, 1852.

At a quarter before three o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer, by the Rev., Mr. Rustling.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to provide for the incorporation of Insurance Companies,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Trenton Mutual Life and Fire Insurance Company,"

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act establishing a Militia System, approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Militia.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

Joint Resolutions entitled,

Joint resolutions relative to the early records of the Supreme Court.

Mr. Mulford, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act concerning the duties of Attorney General.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize John Tomson, trustee of John P. Hughes, to convey certain Real Estate,

Which had been heretofore postponed,

Was again taken up, when

On motion of Mr. Sitgreaves, the same was indefinitely postponed.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to an act for the Limitation of Actions,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass? :

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rogers—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Freehold and Jainesburg Agricultural Railroad Company," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Congar, Craig, Davis, Elthian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to confirm acknowledgments and proofs of Deeds and other instruments, taken by Benjamin Dey,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

Mr. Alexander moved, that

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company," approved March the eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

Which was lost on Friday last, on its final passage,

Be now taken up, and the vote by which said bill was lost, be re-considered, and the bill stand upon its third reading.

Which said motion was agreed to.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Erina Benevolent Association, of the City of Newark,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act relative to foreign Judgments,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to Incorporate the City of Camden," approved March the fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Managers and Treasurer of the School Fund, for the education of youth in the City of Burlington,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act authorizing the enclosure of a certain tract of land, situate in the township of Pequannac, county of Morris, and State of New Jersey, called Tom's Point,

Which had been postponed while under consideration at the last adjournment,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Millville and Malaga Turnpike Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined:

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Jersey City Gas Light Company."

And also,

The bill entitled,

A Supplement to an act entitled; "An act to incorporate the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Salem County," passed March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act to confirm the title of Horatio T. Wells, to certain lands in Camden.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to prevent Swine from running at large in Millville, in the county of Cumberland, May's Landing, in the county of Atlantic, and Pedricktown, in the county of Salem.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act for the settlement and relief of the Poor," approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting imprisonment for debt in cases of fraud," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Monmouth County Life and Health Insurance Company,

And also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Oldman's Creek Steam Navigation Company,

And find the same to be incorrectly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The bills severally entitled,

An act to confirm the title of Horatio T. Wells, to certain lands in Camden,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to prevent Swine from running at large in Millville, in the county of Cumberland, May's Landing, in the county of Atlantic, and Pedricktown, in the county of Salem,

Also,

The bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the Poor," approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting imprisonment for debt, in cases of fraud," approved April fifteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Monmouth County Life and Health Insurance Company,

And also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Oldman's Creek Steam Navigation Company,

Were ordered to be returned to the Engrossing Clerk for his correction.

Mr. Davis, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Point Steamboat Company,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,
The Senate then adjourned.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1862.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Reid.

Mr. Satterthwaite presented the remonstrance of William Smith, and others, inhabitants and legal voters of the county of Burlington, against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State to authorize the sale of the lower part of Matinicum or Burlington Island for twenty thousand dollars, to the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company, unless said Island be first advertised publicly in the newspapers, and the attention of Capitalists invited thereto.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the West Jersey Academy,

Without amendment.

Mr. Potts presented the remonstrance of Daniel Estell, and others, inhabitants of the county of Atlantic, against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State in favor of the nature of the Maine Liquor Law, or any alteration of the present Licence System,

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A message from the House of Assembly by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that in consequence of the temporary indisposition of the Speaker of the House of Assembly, Josephus Shann, of Middlesex, has been appointed Speaker pro tem. of the House.

Mr. Davis presented the petition of Robert H. White and others, inhabitants of the county of Monmouth, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State to prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors for a beverage, and in favor of the principles of the Maine Liquor law.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act concerning the duties of Attorney General,
Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Point Steamboat Company,
Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act to prevent Swine from running at large in Millville, in the county of Cumberland, May's Landing, in the county of Atlantic, and Pedricktown, in the county of Salem.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to confirm the title of Horatio T. Wells, to certain lands in Camden.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting imprisonment for debt in cases of fraud," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Oldman's Creek Steam Navigation Company,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Monmouth County Life and Health Insurance Company,

And also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act for the settlement and relief of the Poor," approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

Joint Resolutions entitled,

Joint resolutions relative to the early records of the Supreme Court.

Which were read for the first time by their title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the West Jersey Academy,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The engrossed bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the Poor," approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace and Zabriskie—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Hudson Ferry Company, in the county of Hudson, New Jersey;

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting imprisonment for debt, in cases of fraud," approved April fifteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time,

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,

The further consideration of the same was postponed,
And the title thereof to be re-printed.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to confirm the title of Horatio T. Wells, to certain
lands in Camden,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleeker, Congar, Davis, Edmunds,
Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the
Jersey City Gas Light Company,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleeker, Birdsall, Canfield,
Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners,
(Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and
Zabriskie—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to prevent Swine from running at large in Millville,

in the county of Cumberland, May's Landing, in the county of Atlantic, and Pedricktown, in the county of Salem,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Craig, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, and Zabriskie—5.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A Supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Salem County," passed March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Oldman's Creek Steam Navigation Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company," approved March the eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended; pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Mulford, Rogers Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Craig, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) and Potts—6.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate then went into executive session, and after some time spent therein,

The Senate again came to order.

The bill entitled,

An act to determine and mark the height at which Mill Dams or Flood Gates shall be made and held, in cases where controversies arise between proprietors of Mill sites,

Which had been heretofore postponed,
Was again taken up and considered by sections,
And while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Davis,
The same was postponed for the present.

On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Hopper presented the remonstrance of John Henry Banta and others, inhabitants of the county of Bergen, against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State, for the construction of any more bridges over the Hackensack River, except such as may be called for by the pressing wants of the people in other portions of the State. And, also, for the passage of a law requiring all bridges over the Hackensack River, at and below the village of Hackensack, to have draws of the uniform width of not less than forty feet.

Which was read, and
Ordered to lie on the table.

The same gentleman presented the petition of Jacob H. Kipp, and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which was ordered to lie on the table without reading.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication:

TUESDAY, February 17, 1852.

Hon. Mr. Mannors,

President of the Senate :

The members of the Senate are respectfully invited to attend a public meeting in the large Saloon of the Temperance Hall, this evening, at half past 7 o'clock.

Rev. Albert Barnes of Philadelphia, will address the meeting.

By order of the Committee of Arrangements.

Which was read, and
Ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Rogers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred the report of the Engineers upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature, and the distribution thereof, and of the laws of the United States," approved April the sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Mulford gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act relative to the freight and transit duties on Rail Roads in this State.

Mr. Sitgreaves gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act explanatory of the act entitled, "An act relative to Officers, Commissions, and Resignations," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the sale of one-half or the lower portion of Matinicum or Burlington Island,

Which had been made the special order for to-day,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to determine and mark the height at which Mill Dams or Flood Gates shall be made and held, in cases where controversies arise between proprietors of Mill sites,

Which had been postponed this morning,

Was again taken up, when, on motion,

The further consideration of the same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools in the township of Salem, in the county of Salem," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weahawken Ferry Company,

Was taken up and read a second time, considered by sections, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie, the same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of New Brunswick," approved February twenty, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act for the purchase of Stephens' Historical Index of New Jersey,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked, and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act for the benefit of Married Women.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the establishment of the New Jersey Lunatic Asylum."

Was taken up, and while under consideration,

Mr. Congar moved to postpone the further consideration thereof indefinitely.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Congar, Craig, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.)—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Edmunds, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Safterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie.—10.

So said motion to postpone indefinitely the said bill was not agreed to.

—The said bill was then read, considered by sections and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to provide for the incorporation of Insurance Companies,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Potts,

The same was postponed and made the order of the day for Thursday next.

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,

The Senate then adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Reid.

Mr. Hopper presented the petition of John Manly and others, inhabitants of this State, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, setting a portion of Hohokus into the township of Washington.

Which was read and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Potts presented the remonstrance of Jacob Godfrey, and others, inhabitants of the county of Atlantic, against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State in favor of the Maine Liquor Law, or any alteration of the present License Laws.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The same gentleman presented the remonstrance of John

Smith and others, inhabitants of the county of Cape May, upon the same subject,

Which was read and referred as aforesaid.

A Message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to authorize the establishment and to prescribe the duties of Companies for Manufacturing and other purposes," approved March second eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Eagle Mining Company.

Also,

An act to set off a part of the township of Vernon, in the county of Sussex, and to annex the same to the township of Hardyston, in said county.

Also,

A supplement to an act for the protection of Bridges, passed February the twenty-third, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine.

Also,

An act to repeal the charter of the Peoples' Bank at Paterson, with the supplements thereto.

Also,

An act concerning applications for license to practice as an Attorney at Law.

Also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against corporations."

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Sussex Iron Company," approved March twentieth, eighteen hundred and forty-five.

Also,

An act to protect fish in the Collvers or Round Pond, and in Long Pond, and in Lake Hopetcong, in the counties of Sussex and Warren.

Also,

An act to incorporate the town of Hudson, in the county of Hudson.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has agreed to the amendments made in the Senate to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the National Insurance Company,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

And that the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate severally entitled,

An act to set off from the township of Harrison, in the county of Hudson, a new township to be called the township of Union, and to annex the same to the county of Bergen.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April the sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Without amendment.

Mr Potts presented the petition of Daniel R. Lee, and others, inhabitants of the county of Atlantic, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, giving them relief as in said petition set forth.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The bills severally entitled,

An act to set off a new township from the township of Harrison, in the county of Hudson, and to annex the same to the county of Bergen,

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Davis gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Rail Road and Transportation Companies, to subscribe a part of the capital stock of the Freehold and Jamesburgh Agricultural Rail Road Company.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Erina Benevolent Association, of the city of Newark.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act for the purchase of Stephens' Historical Index of New Jersey.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and Philadelphia Steamboat Ferry Company," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools, in the township of Salem, in the county of Salem," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act relative to foreign Judgments.

And also,

The amendments made in the House of Assembly, to

The bill entitled,

An act respecting annual reports to the Legislature, of Rail Road and other companies,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Hopper, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate and widen the draws in the bridges over the Hackensack river," passed March third, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Hopper, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for establishing a turnpike road from the town of Hackensack to Hoboken, in the county of Bergen," passed November thirty, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and two.

Which was read the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Mulford gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

Supplement to an act to incorporate the Camden, Ellisburg, and Marlton Turnpike Company.

Mr. Mulford, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act relative to the freight and transit duties on Rail Roads in this State.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have

a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Sitgreaves, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act explanatory of the act entitled "An act relative to Officers, Commissions, and Resignations," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act respecting annual reports to the Legislature, of Rail Roads and Canal Companies,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rogers.—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

The bill entitled,

An act respecting annual reports to the Legislature of Rail Roads and Canal Companies,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

An act incorporating the ~~Erinna~~ Benevolent Association of the City of Newark,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—15.

[NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and Philadelphia Steamboat Ferry Company," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools in the township of Salem, in the county of Salem," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,
An act incorporating Plank Road Companies,
With the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, and while under consideration, on motion,
The same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,
An act to incorporate the Vincentown and Mount Holly Turnpike Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, have a third reading.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report:

The Joint Committee on Passed Bills, report,

That on the thirteenth instant, they presented to the Governor, for his approval,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company," approved February the twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

And on the eighteenth,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the West Jersey Academy.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to regulate elections," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

And,

The bill entitled,

An act to set off from the townships of Harrison, in the County of Hudson, a new township, to be called the Township of Union, and to annex the same to the county of Bergen..

CHAS. SITGREAVES,
Chairman of Committee of Senate.

The bill entitled,

An act to determine and mark the height at which Mill Dams or Flood Gates shall be made and held, in cases where controversies arise between proprietors of Mill sites,

Which had been postponed, was again taken up, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Davis,

The same was postponed until the next session of the Legislature.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act explanatory of the act entitled "An act relative to Officers, Commissions, and Resignations," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Medford and Tuckerton Turnpike Road Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bills from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to authorize the establishment and to prescribe the duties of Companies for Manufacturing and other purposes," approved March second, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Eagle Mining Company, in the county of Somerset, and State of New Jersey.

Also,

An act to repeal the charter of the Peoples' Bank at Paterson, with the supplements thereto.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Sussex Iron Company," approved March twentieth, eighteen hundred and forty-five.

Were severally taken up; read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The bills from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to set off a part of the township of Vernon, in the county of Sussex, and to annex the same to the township of Hardyston, in said county.

And also,

An act to incorporate the town of Hudson, in the county of Hudson.

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

The bills from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act for the protection of Bridges, passed February the twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-three.

And also,

An act to protect Fish in the Collvers or Round Pond, and in the Long Pond, and in Lake Hopetcong, in the counties of Sussex and Morris,

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The bills from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act concerning applications for license to practice as an Attorney at Law.

And also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against corporations,"

Were severally taken up, read for a first time by their title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

Joint resolutions entitled,

Joint resolutions relative to the early record of the Supreme Court,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been recommitted

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the suppression of Lotteries,"

Reported back the same without amendment.

Mr. Davis, from the committee on the Militia, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to erect parts of the counties of Hunterdon and Warren into a new county, to be called the county of Musconetcong.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bills from the House of Assembly severally entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the establishment and prescribe the duties of Companies for Manufacturing and other purposes;" approved March second eighteen hundred and forty nine.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Eagle Mining Company, in the county of Somerset, and State of New Jersey.

And also,

An act to repeal the charter of the People's Bank of Patterson, with the supplements thereto,

Reported the same without amendment.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act for the incorporation of Plank Road Companies,

With sundry amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, and the amendments thereto read,

And the second amendment thereto, as follows,

2: *And be it enacted*, That any company formed in pursuance of this act shall cause to be made an accurate survey of the route intended to be occupied by the plank road which they purpose to make, and of the land which it may be necessary to appropriate to the use of said road, which survey and description shall set forth the names of the owners and occupants of said lands, and shall be signed by three-fourths in interest of the said owners of the

land which it may be necessary to use and occupy, except as hereinafter provided, setting forth that they are of opinion that the construction of said road will promote the public good, and that they consent to its location through and over their property, and to the appropriation of the same to the use of said road, which survey and description, so certified and signed, shall be duly proven and filed, in connection with the certificate and constitution as herein provided; and before any common road or highway which has been already dedicated to public use, shall be taken and occupied for the purpose of a plank road, it shall be the duty of the company so intending to use the same, to have such road or highway vacated in due form, according to law, in the way and manner provided for vacating public roads; and if any owner or owners of the land where such public road has been vacated, or of any other land surveyed and laid out for a plank road shall not be willing to give the same for the use of said company, or if the owner or owners of such land shall be feme covert, under age, non compos, out of the state, or under any legal disability which would prevent their agreement with any company formed by virtue of this act, then it shall be the duty of any justice of the Supreme Court of this state, upon the application of either party, and after ten days' notice in writing to the opposite party, of such application, and after hearing the parties to appoint three disinterested and impartial commissioners, residents of this State, to assess the price or value of such land, and all damages sustained, who shall be sworn before some officer authorized by law to administer an oath, faithfully to administer the duties of such appointment, and after ten days' notice in writing to both parties of the time and place, shall meet, view the premises, and hear the parties and evidence, if desired, and thereupon make such decision and award as to them shall appear just and proper, and transmit such award and decision, together with a description of said land, and the quantity taken, by whom owned, and how situated, bounded and described, in writing, under their hands and seals, or the hands and seals of a majority of them, to the justice who appointed them, to be by him returned and filed, together with all the papers before him in relation thereto, in the clerk's office of the county in which such lands lie, there to be recorded, and kept as a public record,

and copies taken, if required by either party; and if either party shall feel aggrieved by the decision of said commissioners, the party so aggrieved may appeal to the Circuit Court of the county in which said lands lie, at the first term after the decision of said commissioners, by proceeding in the form of petition to said court, with five days' notice to the opposite party of such appeal, which proceeding shall vest in the said court full right and power to hear and adjudge the same, and if required, they shall award a venire in the common form for a jury before them, who shall hear and shall finally determine the same; and it shall be the duty of said jury to assess the value of the land and all damages sustained, and for that purpose to view the land in question, if required by either party to do so; and if the said jury be demanded by the company, and they shall find a greater sum than the said commissioners, then judgment shall be given, with costs, against the said company, and execution issue, if need be; but if the said jury shall be demanded by the owner or owners, and shall find the same or a less sum than the commissioners awarded, then the cost shall be paid by the owner or owners, and shall be deducted out of said sum, so awarded, or execution issued therefor, as the court shall direct; and upon payment or tender of the sum so found by the commissioners or by the jury, with costs, if any, the said company shall be deemed to be seized and possessed of all such lands and real estate so appraised as aforesaid for the purposes of said road; and if the owner or owners of such land or property shall be feme covert, under age, non compos, out of the State, or under any legal disability, it shall be the duty of the said corporation to pay the amount of any award or report so made in behalf of any such person, into the Court of Chancery, to the clerk, thereof, subject to the order of said court, for the use of said owner or owners, all which proceedings shall be at the proper cost and charges of said corporation, except in cases of appeal, above provided for.

The yeas and nays being demanded upon the adoption of the same,

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Potts, and Wallace—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Manbers, (Pres.) Rogers, and Satterthwaite—6.

So said amendment, as made in the House of Assembly, was agreed to.

The third and remaining sections of said amendments were read, considered and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to authorize the establishment and to prescribe the duties of Companies for Manufacturing and other purposes," approved March second, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Was taken up and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion, the same was postponed for the present.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to facilitate the administration of Justice,"

Which had been heretofore postponed,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to be engrossed and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to confirm a Deed of Conveyance from Lewis R. Marsh, one of the Executors of the last Will and Testament of Ralph Marsh, late of Rahway, Essex county, New Jersey, deceased, to James Moore, dated June the fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to Incorporate the City of Camden," approved March the fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Port Elizabeth and Millville Turnpike Company.

And also,

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the partition of lands in cases where particular undivided shares therein are limited over.

And also,

The amendments made to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act authorizing the enclosure of a certain tract of Land, situate in the township of Pequannac, in the county of Morris, and State of New Jersey, and called Toms' Point,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Alexander moved to take up the engrossed bills severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Port Elizabeth and Millville Turnpike Company,

Also,

An act to authorize the Partition of Lands in cases where particular undivided shares therein are limited over,

Also,

An act relative to foreign Judgments,

And put them upon their final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize the partition of land, where particular undivided shares are limited over,

Was taken up and read a third time,

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper,

Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,
An act relative to Foreign Judgments,
Was then taken up and read a third time.
Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?
It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,
An act to incorporate the Port Elizabeth and Millville Turnpike Company,
Was then taken up and read a third time.
Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?
It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary

carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill entitled,

An act concerning Pardons,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Congar, the same was postponed for the present.

On motion of Mr. Potts,

The Senate then adjourned.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Reid.

Mr. Potts presented the remonstrance of Charles H. Chatten, and thirty-four others, inhabitants of the county of Cape May, remonstrating against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State, embodying the nature of the Maine Liquor Law, and against any alteration of the present License Laws.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A Message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Point Plank Road Company.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the business of banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate, severally entitled,

An act to incorporate The Manufacturer's Fire and Marine Insurance Company of Newark, New Jersey,

Also,

An act to repeal an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Ringwood and Longpond Turnpike Company," passed February the ninth, eighteen hundred and eleven, and to declare the Turnpike of said Company, a public highway.

Also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Salem Turnpike Company," approved March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Without amendment.

Mr. Mulford presented the petition of William Braddock, and others, inhabitants of the townships of Medford and Evesham, in the county of Burlington, praying for the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State in favor of a charter for a turnpike road from Marlton to Medford, in said county.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Fithian presented the remonstrance of Robert S. Tice and others, inhabitants of the village of Millville, in the county of Cumberland, against the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, entitled,

An act to authorize the planting of Oysters on lands covered with water, belonging to the State of New Jersey, situate on Maurice River Cove, and for protecting the same,

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Now, before the present session of the Legislature,

The following message was received from the Governor by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, EXECUTIVE DEPT.,
Trenton, February 18, 1852.

To the Senate, and

General Assembly :

I transmit herewith, Joint Resolutions of the Legislature of Alabama, in reference to the "construction of a Ship Canal across the Peninsula of Florida," by which the co-operation of this State is invited to promote that object.

GEO. F. FORT.

JOINT RESOLUTIONS;

Presented by Mr. Philips, of Mobile, to the House of Representatives, in reference to the construction of a ship Canal across the Peninsula of Florida.

BE IT RESOLVED, By the Senate and House of Representatives, of the State of Alabama, in General Assembly Convened,

That the interest of the States bordering on the Gulf of Mexico, as also of those whose products find a market through this channel, is deeply involved in the inquiry, whether the expense, delay, and danger, which now burthen the commerce of the Gulf in the navigation of the Cape of Florida, may not be avoided in the construction of a Ship Canal across that State.

Resolved, That such a work would strengthen the military defences of the country, lessen the political importance now attached to the possession of the Island of Cuba, and promote the agricultural and commercial interest of a large portion of the confederacy.

Resolved, That our Representatives be requested to urge this matter upon the attention of the present Congress, and if such information be not now possessed as to the practicability of the work, as to justify Congress, with the con-

sent of the State of Florida, in at once undertaking it, then to adopt means, by survey or otherwise, to procure the fullest knowledge upon the subject:

Resolved, That the Governor of the State be requested to furnish copies of these Resolutions to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress; and also to each of the Governors of the several States of the Union, with the request that they may be laid before their respective State Legislatures at as early a period as practicable.

JOHN D. RATTIER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

CHARLES M. LEMORE,

President of the Senate.

APPROVED, February 6, 1852.

H. W. COLLIER.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER,
Montgomery, February 6th, 1852. }

Sir :—

I have the pleasure of transmitting you Joint Resolutions of the Legislature of Alabama "in reference to the construction of a Ship-Canal across the Peninsula of Florida," and most respectfully inviting your co-operation in the promotion of this interesting and important object.

With sentiments of respect,

I have the honor to be

Your obedient servant;

H. W. COLLIER.

Which was read, and with the accompanying joint resolutions, ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Fithian presented the remonstrance of Levi Norton, and others inhabitants of the townships of Downs and Maurice River, against the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, of

A bill entitled

An act to authorize the planting of Oysters on land covered with water, belonging to the State of New Jersey, situate in Maurice river Cove, and protecting the same; now before the Legislature.

Also, the remonstrance of Daniel Harris, and others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also, the remonstrance of Charles Reeves, and others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also, the remonstrance of Asa Robbins, and others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also, the remonstrance of Henry Powell, and others, inhabitants of Millville township, in the county of Cumberland, upon the same subject.

Also, the remonstrance of John L. Tomlin, and others, upon the same subject.

Which were severally read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Sitgreaves presented the petition of John A. Reiley and eighty-two others, inhabitants and legal voters of the county of Warren, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, in favor of the principles of the Maine Liquor Law.

The same gentleman presented the petition of Ann C. Reiley, and 90 other ladies, inhabitants of the county of Warren, for the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, upon the same subject.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act to erect parts of the counties of Hunterdon and Warren into a new county, to be called the county of Musconetcong.

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bills from the House of Assembly severally entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against corporations,"

Also,

An act concerning applications for license to practice as an Attorney at Law,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate and widen the draws in the bridges over the Hackensack river," passed March third, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for establishing a Turnpike road, from the town of Hackensack to Hoboken, in the county of Bergen," passed November thirtieth, A. D. eighteen hundred and two,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bills from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to set off a part of the township of Vernon, in the county of Sussex, and to annex the same to the township of Hardyston, in said county,

Also,

An act to incorporate the town of Hudson, in the county of Hudson,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred the petition of John Manly and others, upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

An act to set off a part of the township of Hohenburg, in the

county of Bergen, and to annex the same to the township of Washington, in said county of Bergen.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Rogers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

The bills from the House of Assembly severally entitled,

An act to repeal the charter of the Peoples' Bank at Paterson, with the supplements thereto.

And also,

An act to protect Fish in the Collvers or Round Pond, and in the Long Pond, and in Lake Hopetcong, in the counties of Sussex and Morris,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Davis, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Rail Road and Transportation Companies, to subscribe a part of the capital stock of the Freehold and Jamesburgh Agricultural Rail Road Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Congar gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act to prevent accidents from the use of Locomotive Engines on rail roads, passed March nine, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine.

The same gentleman offered the following resolution :

Resolved, (the House of Assembly concurring,) That the Secretary of State be authorized and empowered to cause the duplicate copy of the Census Returns of this State, for the year eighteen hundred and fifty, deposited in his office, to be neatly and substantially bound in such number of volumes as may

be convenient for reference, and that such volumes be deposited in the State Library.

Which was read and agreed to.

The engrossed bill entitled,

• An act for the purchase of Stephens' Historical Index of New Jersey,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the establishment of the New Jersey Lunatic Asylum,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, and Fithian—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

Reported that they had examined

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act incorporating Plank Road Companies,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act incorporating Plank Road Companies,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Blesker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, and Wallace.—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie.—7.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the South Branch Mining Company," approved February fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to facilitate the Administration of Justice,"

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The bills from the House of Assembly severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Point Plank Road Company,

And also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the South Branch Mining Company," approved February the fourth, eighteen hundred and forty eight.

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bills severally entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Union Manufacturing Company," passed February twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Also,

An act to repeal an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the

Ringwood and Longpond Turnpike Company," passed February the eleventh, eighteen hundred and eleven.

And also,

An act to incorporate the Manufacturer's Fire and Marine Insurance Company,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

The bill entitled,

An act to exempt from sale in execution the Homestead of a Householder having a family,

Was taken up, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication:

THURSDAY, February 19, 1852.

*To the Hon. Mr. Manners,
President of the Senate:*

SIR:—

Hon. Neal Dow, Mayor of Portland, and the celebrated author of the Maine Law, will address a public meeting in

the large saloon of the Temperance Hall, this evening, at 8 and a half o'clock, (immediately after the close of Dr. Baird's Lecture.)

The members of the Senate are respectfully invited to attend.

*By order of Executive Committee,
Of State Temperance Alliance.*

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred:

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the business of banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same Committee, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act relative to freight and transit duties on Rail Roads in this State,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Rail Road and Transportation Companies, to subscribe a part of the capital stock of the Freehold and Jamesburgh Agricultural Rail Road Company.

And also,

The bills from the House of Assembly severally entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the South Branch Mining Company," approved February fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

And,

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Plank Road Company.

And also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate Sussex Iron Company," approved March twenty, eighteen hundred and forty-five,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Bleecker gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled, "An act for facilitating the communication from Morristown, in the county of Morris, through Dover, Mount Pleasant, and from thence to Sparta, in the county of Sussex."

Mr. Satterthwaite gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Pemberton Turnpike or Plank Road Company.

Mr. Zabriskie presented the petition of Thomas M. James and others, inhabitants of Jersey City, praying the passage of such an act of the Legislature of this State as in its wisdom shall appear best calculated to insure the construction of works of such a character as will be certain to furnish the petitioners an abundant and regular supply of pure and wholesome water.

Also, the petition of C. Rawson, and others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act for the benefit of Married Women.

Reported the same without amendment.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act respecting the Court of Chancery,"

Was taken up and read a third time:

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill entitled,

An act to exempt from sale on Execution, the Homestead of a householder having a family,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act incorporating Plank Road Companies,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to provide for the incorporation of Insurance Companies,

Which had been postponed and made the order for to-day,

Was taken up, considered by sections, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Congar, the same was further postponed.

The bill entitled,

An act explanatory of the act entitled "An act relative to Officers, Commissions, and Resignations," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act concerning Pardons,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to establish Public Schools,"

Was taken up, and

On motion of Mr. Bleecker,

Was set down and made the order for Tuesday next.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act concerning applications for license to practice as an Attorney at Law,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Greer, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Sussex and Warren Rail Road Company," approved February twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty one.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Mulford, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden, Ellisburgh and Marlton Turnpike Company,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report:

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report, that they have presented to the Governor for his approval this day.

The acts entitled as follows:

No. 26. An act respecting annual reports to the Legislature, of Rail Road and Canal companies,

No. 11. An act to incorporate The Manufacturer's Fire and Marine Insurance Company of Newark, New Jersey,

No. 18. An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Ringwood and Long Pond Turnpike Company," passed February eleventh, eighteen hundred and eleven, and to declare the turnpike of said company a public highway.

And,

No. 22. A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Gloucester and Salem Turnpike Company," approved March sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,

Chairman of Committee of Senate:

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the South Branch Mining Company," approved February fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the Governor by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, EXECUTIVE DEPT.,
Trenton, February 19, 1852.

To the Senate:

Mr. President:—I have this day approved and signed the following named bills which originated in the Senate:

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Joint Resolution for the relief of Francis Lee and James Ward, Commissioners,

Joint Resolution for the appointment of Commissioners to report amendments to the system of Jurisprudence of this State, and provide for the election of certain officers by the people,

An act to set off from the township of Harrison, in the county of Hudson, a new township to be called the township of Union, and to annex the same to the county of Bergen.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April the sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the West Jersey Academy.

GEO. F. FORT.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Plank Road Company,

Was taken up and read a second time, considered by sections, and

On motion of Mr. Davis,

The same was postponed for the present.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Secretary was directed to proceed and call the Senate.

When the following named Senators answered the call :

PRESENT.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Satterthwaite, and Wallace—12.

ABSENT.—Messrs. Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Fithian, Greer, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—8.

A quorum present, the Senate proceeded to business.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the establishment and prescribe the duties of Companies for Manufacturing and other purposes," approved March second eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act incorporating Homestead and Building Companies,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Congar,
The Senate then adjourned.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Reid.

Mr. Bleecker presented the petition of William A. Wood and others, inhabitants of the township of Jefferson, in the county of Morris, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, chartering the Union Turnpike Company, leading from Sparta to Dover.

Also, the petition of David M. Sayre and others, inhabitants of the township of Sparta in the county of Sussex, upon the same subject.

Also, the petition of Aaron Blanchard, Jr. and others, inhabitants of the township of Jefferson, in the county of Morris, upon the same subject,

Which were severally read, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Wallace presented the petition of Samuel Plummer and others, inhabitants of the county of Salem, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, incorporating a company to make a Turnpike Road, from Woodstown, through Sharpstown to Pennsgrove, in the township of Upper Penn's Neck,

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Westfield and Camden Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden, Ellisburg, and Marlton Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Sussex and Warren Railroad Company," approved February twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Hoppel, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined,

The bill entitled,

An act explanatory of the act entitled "An act relative to Officers, Commissions, and Resignations," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to annex part of the township of Mansfield to the township of Oxford, in the county of Warren,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Millville and Malaga Turnpike Company,

And also,

The amendments made in the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act authorizing the enclosure of a certain tract of land, situate in the township of Pequannac, county of Morris, and State of New Jersey, called Tom's Point,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Bleeker, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked, and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for facilitating the communication from Morristown, in the county of Morris, through Dover, Mount Pleasant, and from thence to Sparta, in the county of Sussex,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Satterthwaite, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Pemberton Turnpike or Plank Road Company.

Which was read the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Canfield, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act to incorporate the city of Paterson,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same gentleman in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of works to supply the City of Paterson with Water.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Conveyances," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Reported that they had substituted another bill in form and substance the same as the former.

Mr. Congar, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act to prevent accidents from the use of Locomotive Engines on rail roads, passed March nine, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the South Branch Mining Company," approved February fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield Congar, Edmunds, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterlwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bill entitled,

An act to repeal so much of the act relating to School Dis-

tricts number one, two, and three, in the township of Rahway, in the county of Essex, as authorize them to raise money for school purposes.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And that the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

With sundry amendments,

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to

The Joint Resolutions entitled,

"Joint Resolution in relation to the producer of Coal," and the manufacturer, and Glass."

And has caused to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to annex part of the township of Mansfield to the township of Oxford, in the county of Warren,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Ethian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act explanatory of the act entitled "An act relative to Offices, Commissions, and Resignations," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sittergreaves, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—6.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Millville and Malaga Turnpike Company.

Was taken up and read a third time;

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act authorizing the enclosure of a certain tract of Land, situate in the township of Pequannac, in the county of Morris, and State of New Jersey, and called Toms' Point,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Zabriskie—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to authorize the establishment and to prescribe the duties of Companies for Manufacturing and other purposes," approved March second, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, and Satterthwaite—6.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Wallace, and Zabriskie—9.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The vote by which the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the establishment and prescribe the duties of Companies for Manufacturing and other purposes," approved March second eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was lost on its final passage, be re-considered, and the bill stand on a third reading.

Which motion was agreed to.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act concerning applications for license to practice as an Attorney at Law,

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Alexander, the further consideration of the same was postponed until the next session of the Legislature.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the towh of Hudson, in the county of Hudson,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to be engrossed and the bill to have a third reading.

Mr. Zabriskie presented the remonstrance of John T. Newkirk and others, inhabitants and landholders within the boundaries of that portion of the township of North Bergen, for which the act of incorporation is asked, remonstrating against the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, incorporating the same,

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company,

Was taken up and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Congar, the same was postponed for the present,

On motion of Mr. Hopper,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report :

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report, that they have presented to the Governor for his approval this day,

No. 15. An act authorizing the incorporation of Plank Road Companies.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,

Chairman of Committee of Senate.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled " An act respecting imprisonment for debt in cases of fraud," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled " An act to incorporate the city of New Brunswick," approved February twenty, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to confirm a Deed of Conveyance from Lewis R. Marsh, one of the Executors of the last Will and Testament of Ralph Marsh, late of Rahway, Essex county, New Jersey, deceased; to James Moore, dated June the fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-seven,

And also,

The amendments made in the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the town of Hudson, in the county of Hudson,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

A Message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the concurrent Resolutions from the Senate authorizing and empowering the Secretary of State to cause the duplicate copy of the Census Returns of this State, for the year eighteen hundred and fifty, deposited in his office, to be neatly and substantially bound in such number of volumes as may be convenient for reference, and that such volumes be deposited in the State Library.

And,

I am also directed to inform the Senate; that the House of Assembly has adopted the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (Senate concurring) that the State Librarian be directed to furnish each new member of the present Legislature, with one copy of the New Jersey Revolutionary Correspondence, as compiled and printed by a former Legislature, for the use of the people of the State.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to repeal so much of the act relating to School Districts No's one, two and three, in the township of Rahway, in the county of Essex, as authorize them to raise money for school purposes,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have

a second reading, and referred to the committee on Education.

The concurrent resolutions from the House of Assembly as follows:

Resolved, (Senate concurring.) That the State Librarian be directed to furnish each new member of the present Legislature, with one copy of the New Jersey Revolutionary Correspondence, as compiled and printed by a former Legislature, for the use of the people of this State,

Was taken up, read, considered and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly of the concurrence of the Senate to said concurrent resolution.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to confirm a Deed of Conveyance, from Lewis R. Marsh, one of the Executors of the last Will and Testament of Ralph Marsh, late of Rahway, Essex county, New Jersey, deceased, to James Moore, dated June fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-seven,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Bleecker, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

Mr. Zabriskie moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the town of Hudson, in the county of Hudson,

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the town of Hudson, in the county of Hudson,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford Potts, Rogers, Silgreaves, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

Mr. Zabriskie moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to authorize the establishment and prescribe the duties of Companies for manufacturing, and other purposes," approved March second eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
 Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?
 It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill; the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed said bill, from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
 An act to provide for the incorporation of Insurance Companies,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to be engrossed and the bill to have a third reading.

Mr. Satterthwaite offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourns, it adjourn to meet again on Monday afternoon next, at three o'clock.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Greer, Mulford, and Wallace—5.

So said motion to adjourn was agreed to.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Trenton Mutual Life and Fire Insurance Company,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections,

and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Key Port and Middletown Point Steamboat Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Princeton Bank," passed the twenty-seventh day of February, eighteen hundred and thirty-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Plank Road Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,
Reported that they had examined

The amendments made in the Senate to the bill from the House of Assembly, entitled

An act to incorporate the Eagle Mining Company, in the county of Somerset, and State of New Jersey,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Bleecker, from the committee on Education, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to repeal so much of the act relating to School Districts No's. 1, 2, and 3, in the township of Rahway, in the county of Essex, as authorize them to raise money for school purposes,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled;

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Sussex Iron Company," approved March twentieth, eighteen hundred and forty-five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Congar moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate Sussex Iron Company," approved March twenty, eighteen hundred and forty-five,

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Congar, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Westfield and Camden Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to set off a part of the township of Vernon, in the
county of Sussex, and to annex the same to the township of
Hardyston, in said county,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections,
and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third
reading.

On motion of Mr. Hopper,
The Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1852.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander presented the memorial of James Campbell,
and others inhabitants of the State of New Jersey, protesting
against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State
authorizing aliens to vote upon taking an oath that they
are citizens, and have had and lost their naturalization papers.

Also, the remonstrance of William Jones and others, inhabi-
tants aforesaid upon the same subject.

Which were read and ordered to lie on the table.

The same gentlemen presented the Resolutions of a meeting
of the inhabitants of the city of New Brunswick, signed by
the chairman, Thomas M. Holcomb, and the Secretary, John
S. Page, against the passage of an act now before the Legisla-
ture of this State entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the
city of New Brunswick," approved February twenty, eighteen
hundred and forty-nine.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Edmunds presented the petition of A. S. Wickersham and others, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, as a supplement to an act heretofore passed, chartering the Camden and West Jersey Telegraph Company, to permit said company to cross the Delaware River, at such place in the county of Camden, or Gloucester, as they shall think proper.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Sitgreaves gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Trustees of the Peace, and Courts of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Mr. Congar gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Prospect Hill Cemetery of Bellville.

Mr. Alexander gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved the fifteenth day of April, A. D. eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Mr. Edmunds, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and West Jersey Telegraph Company," approved March sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty one.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication :

To the President of the Senate

The members of the Senate are respectfully invited to attend a public meeting in behalf of the *American Bible Society*, to be held this evening, at half past seven o'clock, in the Chamber of the House of Assembly.

His Excellency, Gov. Fort, will preside.

Addresses may be expected from Gov. Vroom, Chancellor Williamson, Dr. Bringham, Frederick T. Frelinghuysen, Esq., Hon L. Q. C. Elmer, and the Rev. T. L. Cuyler.

In behalf of the Society,

GEORGE SHELDON.

MONDAY, February 23, 1852.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled, "An act for facilitating the communication from Morristown, in the county of Morris, through Dover, Mount Pleasant, and from thence to Sparta, in the county of Sussex,

reported the same with sundry amendments.

A message from the House of Assembly by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April fifteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And,

An act in relation to all Companies transacting the business of Life Insurance within this State.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled an act to incorporate the Somerville and New Brunswick Railroad Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate the ~~Paulsboro~~ Steamboat Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Somerville Aqueduct Company.
In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And that the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining Company,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of Crimes,"

Also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning Idiots and Lunatics."

Also,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning the estate of persons who die insolvent,"

Without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Pemberton Turnpike or Plank Road Company,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

The bills from the House of Assembly severally entitled,

An act in relation to all Companies transacting the business of Life Insurance within this State.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Somerville Aqueduct Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Paulsboro Steamboat Company.

And also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Somerville and New Brunswick Railroad Company,"

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Elections.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Trenton Mutual Life and Fire Insurance Company,"

• And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill entitled,

An act regulating elections in the township of Washington, in the county of Camden,

Was taken up, and read a second time. and while the first section, was under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The same was indefinitely postponed.

The bills severally entitled,

Supplement to an act for the Limitation of Actions;

And also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning Idiots and Lunatics,"

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to repeal the charter of the People's Bank of Patter-
son, with the supplements thereto,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections,
and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to repeal so much of the act relating to School Dis-
tricts No's. 1, 2, and 3, in the township of Rahway, in the
county of Essex, as authorize them to raise money for school
purposes,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections,
and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to autho-
rize the business of banking," approved February twenty-sev-
enth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up and read a second time, and while under
consideration,

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the
Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company,"
approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of As-
sembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, the
bill ordered to be re-engrossed and have a final reading.

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize
the business of Banking," approved February twenty-seventh,
eighteen hundred and fifty,

Which had been postponed,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections,
amended and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered
to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

Mr Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Managers and Treasurer of the School Fund, for the education of youth in the City of Burlington,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act for the Punishment of Crimes,"

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for establishing a Turnpike road, from the town of Hackensack to Hoboken, in the county of Bergen," passed November thirtieth, A. D. eighteen hundred and two,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the first section disagreed to, when,

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The same was indefinitely postponed.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden, Ellisburg, and Marlton Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate and

widen the draws in the bridges over the Hackensack river," passed March third, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight,

Was taken up and read a second time, considered by sections, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The same was postponed for the present.

The joint resolutions entitled,

Joint resolutions relative to the early records of the Supreme Court,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The Senate then adjourned.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Bleecker presented the petition of John S. Mulford, and sixty others, inhabitants of Hanover, in the county of Morris, remonstrating against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State, in favor of the Maine Liquor Law regulating the sale of spirituous liquor.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Alexander presented the remonstrance of Daniel Taggart and others, inhabitants of the county of Mercer, in this State, remonstrating against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State, authorizing aliens to vote upon taking an oath that they are citizens, and have had, and lost their naturalization papers.

Also the remonstrance of Absolum Moore and others, inhabitants of New Jersey, upon the same subject.

Also, the memorial of Alfred Manning and others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which were severally ordered to lie on the table without reading.

Mr. Rogers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent accidents from the use Locomotive Engines on Railroads," passed March ninth, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred the petition of Samuel Plummer and others, inhabitants of the county of Salem, upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Woodstown and Pennsgrove Turnpike Company,

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bills from the House of Assembly severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Paulsboro Steamboat Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Somerville Aqueduct Company.

Also,

An act in relation to all Companies transacting the business of Life Insurance within this State.

And also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Somerville and New Brunswick Railroad Company,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Hopper from the Committee on Engrossed bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Princeton Bank," passed the twenty-second day of February, eighteen hundred and thirty-four,

Also,

The bill entitled;

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the Practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty six,

And also,

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the sale of one-half or the lower portion of Burlington or Matinicum Island,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Sitgreaves, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Justices of the Peace and Courts of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The same Senator gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

Joint Resolutions entitled "**Joint Resolutions** authorizing the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Company, to subscribe for a part of the Capital Stock of the Belvidere Delaware Railroad Company.

Mr. Craig, gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize the sale of one-half or the lower portion of Burlington or Matinicum Island,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Craig, and Potts—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Managers and Treasurer of the School Fund for the education of youth in the city of Burlington,

Was taken up and read a third time,

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?
It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleeker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,
A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Trenton Mutual Fire Insurance Company,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Manners, (Pres.) Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleeker and Rogers—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act incorporating Homestead and Building Companies,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleeker, Birdsall, Congar, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Burk, Craig, Edmunds, Potts, Rogers, and Zabriskie—6.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, from the House of Assembly without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to repeal so much of the act relating to School Districts number one, two, and three, in the township of Rahway, in the county of Essex, as authorize them to raise money for school purposes,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Camden," approved March fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

Mr. Sitgreaves moved, that

The bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," passed the nineteenth of March, eighteen hundred and forty-five,

Being No. 7, in the report of the Committee on Unfinished Business, be now taken up.

Which motion was agreed to.

Said bill was then taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to establish Public Schools,"

Which had been made the order for to-day,

Was taken up, read a second time, and while under consideration.

On motion of Mr. Mulford, the same was postponed for the present, and made the order of the day for to-morrow.

The bill entitled,

An act relative to freight and transit duties on Rail Roads in this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, when,

On motion of Mr. Mulford,

The further consideration thereof was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate and widen the draws in the bridges over the Hackensack river," passed March third, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight,

Which had been postponed yesterday,

Was taken up, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to set off a part of the township of Hohokus, in the county of Bergen, and to annex the same to the township of Washington, in said county of Bergen,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Paulsboro Steamboat Company.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The amendments made in the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Plank Road Company.

Also,

The amendments made in the Senate to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Westfield and Camden Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to exempt from sale on Execution, the Homestead of a Householder having a family,

And also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Key Port and Middletown Point Steamboat Company,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The same gentleman, from the same Committee, reported that they had examined.

The Joint Resolutions entitled,

Joint resolutions relative to the early records of the Supreme Court,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Congar, in pursuance of notice given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Prospect Hill Cemetery of Bellville.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson and Hackensack Rail Road Company," approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Being a part of the unfinished business of the last session of the Legislature,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report:

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report, that they have presented to the Governor for his approval this day, the following passed bills:

No. 34. A further supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of Crimes,"

No. 41. A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning Idiots and Lunatics."

No. 66. Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning the estate of persons who die insolvent."

CHAS. SITGREAVES,

Chairman of Committee of Senate:

Mr. Craig offered the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (the House of Assembly concurring,) That this Legislature adjourn *sine die*, on Thursday, the eleventh day of March next.

Which was read, and

On motion of the same Senator, ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Bevidere," passed March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-five,

Reported the same without amendment.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the

Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company, approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Muirford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Zabriskie—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Plank Road Company,

Was taken up and read a third time, and while under consideration.

On motion of Mr. Davis,

The vote by which said bill was engrossed and ordered to a third reading, was re-considered, and

The bill postponed, and ordered to stand on a second reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to provide for the incorporation of Insurance Companies,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Congar, Davis, Muirford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—9.

Mrs.—Messrs. Canfield, Craig, Edmunds, and Satterthwaite—4.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

Mr. Canfield moved to re-consider the vote by which the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to provide for the incorporation of Insurance Companies,

Was lost on its final passage.

Which motion was agreed to, and said bill ordered to stand upon a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Westfield and Camden Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

With the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time, and while under consideration,

On motion, the same was ordered to be returned to the engrossing clerk, for the amendments to be re-engrossed.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Potts,

The same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

An act relative to the redemption of Bank Notes,

Was taken up read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Alexander gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

The bill entitled,

An act relative to freight and transit duties on rail roads in this State,

Which had been previously postponed; was again taken up and considered, and

On motion of Mr. Mulford,

The same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Rail Road and Transportation Companies, to subscribe a part of the capital stock of the Freehold and Jamesburgh Agricultural Rail Road Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the first section thereof, as follows,

1. BE IT ENACTED, *By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That the Delaware and Raritan canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad and transportation companies be, and they are hereby authorized to subscribe for any number of shares not exceeding one thousand, of the capital stock of the Freehold and Jamesburgh agricultural railroad company, *provided* that in the distribution of the shares of stock of said company among the subscribers thereto, that individual subscribers, and other railroad companies shall first be allowed the number of shares subscribed for by them respectively.

Mr. Davis moved to amend the same by inserting after the word "subscribers," and before the word "shall," the words "and other rail road companies."

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Congar, Craig, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Sitgreaves, and Wallace.—2.

NAVS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Edmunds, Rogers, and Zabriskie—6.

So said motion to amend was agreed to.

The title of the bill was considered and agreed to, and the bill as amended, ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April fifteen, eighteen hundred and forty six,

Was taken up read a second time, and considered by sections, when,

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The same was postponed for the present.

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,

The Senate then adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1852

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Rustling.

Mr. Alexander presented the remonstrance of William Gray and others, inhabitants of the State of New Jersey, against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State, authorizing aliens to vote upon taking an oath that they are citizens, and have had and lost their naturalization papers.

Also, the remonstrance of Edwin Scott, and others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which were ordered to lie on the table without reading.

A message from the House of Assembly by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Burlington county Agricultural Society.

Also,

An act giving to James Anderson and Sarah Turner, and to all persons claiming any real or personal estate under them, the same rights and powers that they would have been entitled to if the said James and Sarah had been born in lawful wedlock.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Riverton improvement Company.

Also,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And that the House of Assembly has agreed to the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the town of Hudson, in the county of Hudson,

And has caused said bill to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same,

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Middletown and Shrewsbury Steamboat and Transportation Company.

Also,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to Incorporate the

Union Manufacturing Company," passed February the twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Also,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Manufacturing Company," passed February twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

Without amendment.

Mr. Sitgreaves presented the petition of Rebecca Harvey, and sixty-seven other ladies, inhabitants of the county of Warren, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, prohibiting the sale of spirituous liquors as a beverage, and making it conform as nearly as possible, to the provisions of the Maine Liquor Law.

Also, the petition of Edward Allen and 43 others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, without reading.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by Incorporated Companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved the fifteenth day of April, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same Senator, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bills severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Rahway Steam Brick Company,

And also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and West Jersey Telegraph Company," approved March sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty one,

Reported the same without amendment.

At the same time stating that the committee had doubts as to the correct advertisement of the same, and desired the action of the Senate thereon.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Justices of the Peace and Courts of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Medford and Tuckerton Turnpike Road Company,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Vincentown and Mount Holly Turnpike Company,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of works to supply the City of Paterson with Water,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Alexander moved that the vote by which

The bill entitled,

An act relative to the redemption of Bank Notes,

Was ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading, be reconsidered,

Which motion was agreed to, and the vote reconsidered accordingly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Riverton Improvement Company,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to.

have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Burlington county Agricultural Society,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Agriculture.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act giving to James Anderson and Sarah Turner, and to all persons claiming any real or personal estate under them, the same rights and powers that they would have been entitled to if the said James and Sarah had been born in lawful wedlock,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Militia.

Mr. Mulford gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Executors of John Freedly, deceased, to convey certain real estate.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to exempt from sale on Execution, the Homestead of a Householder having a family,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Polts, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Burk, Greer, Rogers, and Wallace—5.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Key Port and Middletown Point Steamboat Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

On motion of Mr. Davis,

The vote by which the same was engrossed and ordered to a third reading, was re-considered, and

The bill ordered to stand on a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Eagle Mining Company, in the county of Somerset, and State of New Jersey,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsell, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Sitgreaves and Zabriskie—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Craig, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—9.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to set off a part of the township of Vernon, in the county of Sussex, and to annex the same to the township of Hardyston, in said county,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass ?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Greer, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Paulsboro' Steamboat Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass ?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsell, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.), Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—16.

NAVS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to provide for the incorporation of Insurance Companies,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Mann-ers, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—16.

NAVS.—Messrs. Craig, and Greer—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The amendments made in the Senate to
The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Sitgreaves, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

Joint Resolutions entitled,

Joint Resolutions authorizing the Delaware and Raritan

Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies, to subscribe for a part of the Capital Stock of the Belvidere Delaware Railroad Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations:

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time,

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rogers, and Zabriskie—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested,

The bills severally entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to Incorporate the Union Manufacturing Company," passed February the twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Also,

An act to incorporate the Middletown and Shrewsbury Steamboat and Transportation Company,

And also,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Manufacturing Company," passed February twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN;

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to establish Public Schools,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the first section thereof, as follows,

1. BE IT ENACTED, *By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That the Treasurer of the State is hereby directed to pay to the Trustees of the School Fund, on or before the first day of April, 1852, and on or before the first day of April of every year thereafter, the sum of ten thousand dollars, and on or before the first day of October of every year thereafter, the sum of fifty thousand dollars, which sums shall be appropriated by them in addition to the forty thousand dollars appropriated out of the annual income of the School Fund for the support of Public Schools in this State, and shall be apportioned among the several counties in the ratio of the population as ascertained by the last preceding census.

Mr. Mulford moved to strike out after the word "trustees," in the second line, all the third, fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh lines, unto and before the word "which," in the said seventh line, and insert in lieu thereof, the following clause:

"For the support of Free Schools immediately after the receipt thereof, the entire revenue that shall accrue to the State, on and after the first day of July next, from the transit duties upon the Canal and Railroad Companies, the tax upon the capital stock of the Canal and Railroad companies, and the dividends upon the stock by the State in the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and the Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies."

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Craig, Davis, Greer, Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—11.

So said motion to strike out and amend was not agreed to.
Said section was then agreed to.

The second section of said bill was then taken up and read as follows :

2. *And be it enacted*, That if the inhabitants of any township of this State shall, at their annual town meeting, in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-three, or in any year thereafter, neglect or refuse to raise by tax or otherwise, a sum of money for the support of Public Schools, at least equal to one dollar for each child contained in the lists transmitted by the several District Trustees to the Town Superintendant, in the year previous to holding said Town Meeting, then, and in that case each township shall, for the year in which such neglect or refusal shall occur, receive no portion of the appropriation of fifty thousand dollars directed by the preceding section of this supplement to be paid by the Treasurer of the State to the Trustees of the School Fund, on or before the first day of October, annually, for the support of Public Schools; but the portion of said appropriation to which any such township would have been entitled, if such neglect or refusal had not occurred, shall be apportioned by the board of Chosen Freeholders of the county in which such township is situate, among the remaining townships in the county which shall not have neglected or refused to raise such money aforesaid.

Mr. Mulford moved to strike out the whole of the foregoing section :

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Burk, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford Potts, Rogers, and Satterthwaite—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Fithian, Hopper, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—9.

So said motion to strike out the whole of said section was agreed to.

The third section of said bill was taken up and read, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Sitgreaves,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Sitgreaves presented the petition of Brazillai Linn, Jr., and others, inhabitants of the county of Warren, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to authorize the Camden and Amboy Railroad, and the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Transportation companies to subscribe for the balance of the stock of the Belvidere Rail Road Company, that may not be taken by individuals.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act giving to James Anderson and Sarah Turner, and to all persons claiming any real or personal estate under them, the same rights and powers that they would have been entitled to if the said James and Sarah had been born in lawful wedlock,

Reported the same without amendment.

At the same time stating that there was no evidence before them of the correctness of the application, or otherwise.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Riverton improvement Company,

Reported the same without amendment:

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of Townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate and widen the draws in the bridges over the Hackensack river," passed March third, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Rail Road and Transportation Companies, to subscribe a part of the capital stock of the Freehold and Jamesburgh Agricultural Rail Road Company,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to set off a part of the township of Hohokus, in the county of Bergen, and to annex the same to the township of Washington, in said county of Bergen,

And also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden, Ellisburgh and Marlton Turnpike Company,"

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden, Ellisburg, and Marlton Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to set off a part of the township of Hohokus, in the county of Bergen, and to annex the same to the township of Washington, in said county of Bergen,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to regulate and widen the draws in the bridges over the Hackensack river," passed March third, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—19.

NAYS.—Messrs. Zabriskie—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,
An act to incorporate the Vincentown and Mount Holly Turnpike Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—19.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,
An act to incorporate the Medford and Tuckerton Turnpike Road Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Con-

gar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—19.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of New Brunswick," approved February twenty, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleeker, Burk, Craig, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Sitgreaves and Wallace—9.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Craig, the following concurrent resolution,

Resolved, (the House of Assembly concurring,) That this Legislature adjourn *sine die*, on Thursday, the 11th of March next,

Which had been laid on the table, was taken up, read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the said concurrent resolution, and request their concurrence,

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to establish Public Schools,"

Which had been postponed at the last adjournment, was again taken up, considered by sections, when,

On motion of Mr. Mulford,

The further consideration of the same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Sussex and Warren Rail Road Company," approved February twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for facilitating the communication from Morristown, in the county of Morris, through Dover, Mount Pleasant, and from thence to Sparta, in the county of Sussex,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Secretary was directed to proceed and call the Senate,

When the following named Senators answered the call.

PRESENT.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

ABSENT.—Messrs. Birdsall, Canfield, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—9.

A quorum being present, the Senate came to order.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

Joint resolutions entitled,

Joint Resolutions authorizing the Delaware and Raritan

Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies, to subscribe for a part of the Capital Stock of the Belvidere Delaware Railroad Company.

Reported the same without amendment,

Mr. Canfield gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,
The Senate then adjourned.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Potts presented the remonstrance of Robert Moore, and one hundred and seventy others, inhabitants of the County of Atlantic, against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State, in favor of adopting the principles of the Maine Liquor Law, and interfering with the present licence system.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Rogers presented the petition of Eleanor Barkalow, an inhabitant of the State of New Jersey, representing that she is the widow of William Barkalow, a soldier of the Revolution, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of

this State, giving her the same relief that others have had under similar circumstances.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Claims and Pensions.

Mr. Fithian presented the remonstrance of George M. Irving, and one hundred and fourteen others, inhabitants of the township of Fairfield, in the county of Cumberland, against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State entitled,

An act to authorize the planting of Oysters on land covered with water, belonging to the State of New Jersey, situate in Maurice river Cove, and protecting the same.

Also,

The remonstrance of Henry Reeves, and sixty-six others, inhabitants of the townships of Downs and Maurice River, in Cumberland, upon the same subject.

Which were ordered to lie on the table without reading.

Mr. Satterthwaite, from the committee on Agriculture, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Burlington county Agricultural Society,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Sussex and Warren Railroad Company," approved February twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty-one;

And also,

The bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And also, the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Westfield and Camden Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Canfield gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Treasurer of the School Fund to sell the lands belonging to the State at Paterson.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

An act to authorize the erection of Dams at Scudder's and Wells' Falls, and to improve the navigation of the river Delaware.

Also,

An act to authorize the formation of Railroad Companies, and the construction of Roads.

Also,

An act respecting writs of Certiorari.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Burlington Gas Light Company.

Also,

An act to change the mode of voting at Town Meetings, in the township of Walpack, in the county of Sussex.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bills severally entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled an act to facilitate the administration of Justice.

Also,

A supplement to an act to enable the owners of Swamp or :

Meadow Ground, to drain the same, and to repeal the law heretofore made for that purpose," passed November the twenty-fourth, seventeen hundred and ninety-two.

Also,

An act authorizing the enclosure of a certain tract of land, situate in the township of Pequannac, county of Morris, and State of New Jersey, called Tom's Point,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature, and the distribution thereof, and of the laws of the United States," approved April the sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six;

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Craig, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rogers—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Sussex and Warren Railroad Company, approved February twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, and Sitgreaves—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Fithian, Potts, Rogers, and Satterthwaite—4.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Westfield and Camden Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

Mr. Alexander moved that the vote by which

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Eagle Mining Company, in the county of Somerset, and State of New Jersey,

With the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was lost on its final passage, be re-considered, and said bill stand on a third reading.

Which motion was agreed to.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to change the mode of voting at Town Meetings in the township of Walpack, in the county of Sussex,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Burlington Gas Light Company,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The bills from the House of Assembly severally entitled,

An act respecting writs of Certiorari.

And also,

An act to authorize the formation of Railroad Companies, and the construction of Railroads,

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize the erection of Dams at Scudder's Falls, and Well's Falls, and to improve the navigation of the river Delaware,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Key Port and Middletown Point Steamboat Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act relative to the redemption of Bank Notes,

Which had been heretofore postponed,

Was again taken up, considered, and while under consideration,

The same was postponed for the present.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act in relation to all Companies transacting the business of Life Insurance within this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Craig,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Hopper presented the petition of John Van Brunt, and others, inhabitants of the counties of Hudson and Bergen, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to charter a company to establish a Ferry at Weehawken, between Day's Point and Hoboken, in this State.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Mulford presented the remonstrance of Borden Dancer, and other inhabitants of the county of Salem, remonstrating against the passage of any act of the Legislature

of this State, authorizing the construction of Dams across the Delaware river.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. Sitgreaves presented the petition of of George Wolf, and thirty-one other inhabitants of New Jersey, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to limit the traffic in spirituous liquors, except for medicinal or mechanical purposes, so far as its use or manufacture shall be allowed in this State.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The same gentleman, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report :

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report that they presented to the Governor for his approval February twenty-fifth, the following passed bills :

No. 23. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to Incorporate the Union Manufacturing Company," passed February the twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

No. 20. An act to incorporate the Middletown and Shrewsbury Steamboat and Transportation Company.

No. 38. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Manufacturing Company," passed February twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,

Chairman of Committee of Senate.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act respecting writs of Certiorari,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Burlington Gas Light Company,;

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to change the mode of voting at Town Meetings, in the township of Walpack, in the county of Sussex,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Mulford, from the Committee on Elections, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred,

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson,"

Reported the same without amendment.

The following message was received from the Governor by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, EXECUTIVE DEP'T., }
Trenton, February 24, 1852. }

To the Senate :

*Mr. President :—*I have this day approved and signed the following named bills which originated in the Senate :

An act to incorporate the Manufacturer's Fire and Marine Insurance Company.

An act respecting annual reports to the Legislature, of Rail Roads and other Companies.

An act to repeal an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Ringwood and Longpond Turnpike Company," passed February the eleventh, eighteen hundred and eleven.

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Gloucester and Salem Turnpike Company," approved March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

GEO. F. FORT.

The engrossed bill entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the Practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Fithian, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Greer—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Rail Road and Transportation Companies, to subscribe a part of the capital stock of the Freehold and Jamesburgh Agricultural Rail Road Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, and Sitgreaves—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Canfield, Congar, Greer, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—5.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary

ry carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Plank Road Company,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time,

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The bill entitled,
An act relative to the redemption of Bank Notes,
Which had been postponed in the morning,
Was again taken up, read, and the fourth section thereof, as follows:

4. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of every such bank or association out of the cities of Camden, Trenton, Newark, and Jersey City, to redeem and pay on demand, all circulating notes issued by such bank or association, presented for redemption at the office of the agent for such bank.

Mr. Alexander moved to restore the words at the end of the fourth and fifth lines "at a rate of discount not exceeding one quarter of one per cent," which had been previously stricken out, on motion to amend the section.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, and Zabriskie—4.

NAYS.—Messrs. Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—12.

So said motion to restore the words heretofore stricken out was not agreed to.

The fifth and remaining sections of said bill were considered, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company,

Was again taken up, considered, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Craig, the same was postponed for the present.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Point Steamboat Company.

Also,

The bill entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled, "An act for facilitating the communication from Morristown, in the county of Morris, through Dover, Mount Pleasant, and from thence to Sparta, in the county of Sussex.

And also,

The amendments made in the Senate to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act in relation to all Companies transacting the business of Life Insurance within this State.

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to protect fish in the Collvers or Round Pond, and in Long Pond, and in Lake Hopetcong, in the counties of Sussex and Morris,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Somerville Aqueduct Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Burlington county Agricultural Society,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Somerville and New Brunswick Railroad Company,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against corporations,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act giving to James Anderson and Sarah Turner, and to all persons claiming any real or personal estate under them, the same rights and powers that they would have been entitled to if the said James and Sarah had been born in lawful wedlock,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion, the same was postponed for the present.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act respecting writs of Certiorari,

Was taken up, and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion, the same was postponed for the present.

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The Senate then adjourned.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Davis presented the petition of Jane Stout, and one hundred and thirty-seven other ladies, inhabitants of the county of Monmouth, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State in favor of the principles of the Maine Liquor law, and to prevent the traffic in spirituous liquors.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The same gentleman presented the petition of Walter Parsons, and one hundred and five others, inhabitants of the county of Monmouth, in favor of the Maine Liquor Law.

Which was read, and referred as aforesaid.

The President laid before the Senate the memorial of George Rundle and William Griffeth, trustees of the estate

of John Savage, deceased, inhabitants of the city of Philadelphia, and State of Pennsylvania, remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature, entitled,

An act to authorize the erection of Dams at Scudder's Falls, and Wells' Falls, and to improve the navigation of the river Delaware,

And injuring the estate of which they are Trustees.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred.

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Prospect Hill Cemetery at Bellville,

Reported the same with sundry amendments;

At the same time stating that the notice of said application was not published according to law as to time, and desired the action of the Senate thereon.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled;

An act concerning Streets, in the new manufacturing town of Elizabethport.

Also,

An act to alter the act entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," approved March the nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-five.

Also,

An act to repeal an act entitled an act to change the time of holding the annual Town Meetings in the township of Pahaquarry, in the county of Warren.

Also,

An act to prevent Swine from running at large in this State.

Also,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the Fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purpose," passed November twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and eight.

Also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to divide the township of North Bergen, in the county of Hudson, and to establish in said county a new township, to be called the township of Hoboken."

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate severally entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Mendham Aqueduct Company.

Also,

A Supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed the twenty-ninth day of February, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and three.

With sundry amendments,

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined,

The bill entitled,

An act relative to the redemption of Bank Notes.

And also,

The amendments made in the Senate to

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act giving to James Anderson and Sarah Turner, and to all persons claiming any real or personal estate under them, the same rights and powers that they would have been entitled to if the said James and Sarah had been born in lawful wedlock,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Claims and Pensions, to whom had been referred the petition of Elenor Barkalow upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

An act for the relief of Elenor Barkalow, of the county of Middlesex.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Rogers moved to suspend the printing of said bill,

Which motion was agreed to.

Mr. Craig offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Senate will not act upon any private bills which may be introduced on and after Tuesday the second day of March next.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Canfield, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act concerning Pardons,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Congar, Craig, Hopper, and Sitgreaves—4.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield,

Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—14.

Said engrossed bill was disagreed to.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act relative to the redemption of Bank Notes,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Canfield, and Davis—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The following message was received from the Governor by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, February 26, 1852. }

To the Senate:

Mr. President :—I have this day approved and signed the following bills originating in your House :

An act authorizing the incorporation of Plank Road Companies.

An act to incorporate the Middletown and Shrewsbury Steamboat and Transportation Company.

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Manufacturing Company," passed the twenty-sixth February, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight.

A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning Idiots and Lunatics."

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Union Manufacturing Company," passed February twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning the estate of persons who die insolvent."

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act for the punishment of Crimes."

GEO. F. FORT.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Point Steamboat Company.

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for facilitating the communication from Morristown, in the county of Morris, through Dover, Mount Pleasant, and from thence to Sparta, in the county of Sussex; . . .

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, and Sitgreaves—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Edmunds, Fithian and Zabriske—4.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Burlington County Agricultural Society.

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Craig—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Somerville and New Brunswick Railroad Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
 An act to incorporate the Somerville Aqueduct Company,
 Was taken up and read a third time.
 Upon the question,
 Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?
 It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly; and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, from the House of Assembly without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
 An act in relation to all Companies transacting the business of Life Insurance within this State,
 And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,
 Was taken up and read a third time.
 Upon the question,
 Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?
 It was decided in the negative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) and Mulford—0.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—8.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled;
 An act giving to James Anderson and Sarah Turner, and to all persons claiming any real or personal estate under them, the same rights and powers that they would have been enti-

ted, if the said James and Sarah had been born in lawful wedlock,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Secretary was directed to inform the House of Assembly, that

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Eagle Mining Company, in the county of Somerset, and State of New Jersey,

Was disagreed to by the Senate, and carried into the House of Assembly, by message, through mistake, and request them to return the same to the Senate for its further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Potts,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander presented the official bond and oath of office of Rescarrick M. Smith, the Treasurer of the State.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Zabriskie gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act for facilitating the communication from the Hudson River, opposite the city of New York, to the eastern abutment of the bridge over Hackensack river," passed December one, eighteen hundred and four.

Mr. Fithian presented the petition of William M. Jones and others, inhabitants of the county of Cumberland, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, prohibiting the sale of all intoxicating liquors, except for medicinal and artistical purposes, and in favor of the Maine Statute, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

Also, the petition of Elizabeth A. Davis and others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also, the petition of E. T. Sheppard and others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which were ordered to be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary without reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The amendments made in the Senate to the bills from the House of Assembly, entitled

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the relief of Creditors against Corporations,"

Also,

An act to protect fish in the Collver's, or Round Pond, and

Long Pond, and in Lake Hopatecong, in the counties of Sussex and Morris,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bills from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the Fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes," passed November twenty-six, eighteen hundred and eight,

And also,

An act to prevent Swine from running at large in this State,

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The bills from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to alter the act entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," approved March the nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-five.

And also,

An act to repeal an act entitled an act to change the time of holding the annual Town Meetings in the township of Paha-quarry, in the county of Warren.

And also,

An act concerning Streets, in the new manufacturing town of Elizabethport.

And also,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to divide the township of North Bergen, in the county of Hudson, and to establish in said county a new township, to be called the township of Hoboken,"

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Edmunds moved that the vote by which

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

'An act in relation to all Companies transacting the business of Life Insurance within this State,

Was lost on its final passage, be re-considered.

Which motion was agreed to, and said bill ordered to stand upon a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to protect fish in the Collivers or Round Pond, and in Long Pond, and in Lake Hopetong, in the counties of Sussex and Morris,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Conger, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Silgreaves, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to establish Public Schools,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act for the benefit of Married Women,

Was taken up, read a second time, and considered, and

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the same was postponed for the present.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

An Act to repeal an act entitled "An act regulating elections in the township of Franklin, in the county of Gloucester," approved March fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

Also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish public schools," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere Delaware Railroad Company," passed March second, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

Without amendment.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate, entitled,

An act to incorporate the Zinc Mines Plank Road Company,
With sundry amendments.

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has agreed to the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

The bills from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to repeal an act entitled "An act regulating elections in the township of Franklin, in the county of Gloucester," approved March four, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

And also,

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish Public Schools," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Education.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere and Delaware Rail Road Company," passed March second, eighteen hundred and forty six,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

The bill entitled,

An act relative to freight and transit duties on Rail Roads in this State,

Was taken up and read a second time, and the first section thereof, as follows,

1. BE IT ENACTED, *By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That it shall be lawful to charge on light and bulky goods transported on any Railroad in this State, and on the route continuous therewith, to the termination thereof, for such transportation by measurement; such charge by measurement per ton, per mile, not to exceed the charge limited by law for the transportation of other goods by weight; and the transit duty to the State shall be paid upon the measurement ton.

Mr. Zabriskie moved to insert the words "by which three tons by measurement shall not exceed one ton by weight," in the second line, after the word "goods," and before the word "transported."

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Præs.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker Craig, Davis, Mulford, Potts, and Sitgreaves—7.

So said motion to amend was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mulford, the further consideration of the bill was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Pemberton Turnpike or Plank Road Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Mulford offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it adjourn to meet on Monday next, at three o'clock, P. M.

Which was read and agreed to.

The Joint Resolution entitled,

Joint Resolution authorizing the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Belvidere Delaware Railroad Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Hopper,

The Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, MARCH 1, 1852.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Sitgreaves presented the petition of Andrew Ribble and others, inhabitants of the township of Pahaquarry, in the county of Warren, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to change the time of holding the annual township meeting from the present law, as it was changed the last session of the Legislature, from the second Monday of March, to the second in April, the usual time appointed by law in all other townships in said county.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Fithian presented the remonstrance of Ethan Duffiel and others, inhabitants of the township of Fairfield, in the county of Cumberland, against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State entitled;

An act to authorize the planting of Oysters on land covered with water, belonging to the State of New Jersey, situate in Maurice river Cove, and for protecting the same.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. Davis gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled;

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Chingarora Dock Company of Key Port," approved February twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Mr. Canfield, from the Committee on Finance, to whom had been referred the official bond of Rescarick M. Smith, State Treasurer, reported,

That they had examined said bond and find the same correct, and the security sufficient, and recommend that the same be approved.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the said bond was then read and approved, and the Secretary directed to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has approved of said bond, and the oath of office accompanying the same, and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Fithian gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Bridgeton and Pole Tavern Turnpike Company.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bills from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to divide the township of North Bergen, in the county of Hudson, and to establish a new township in said county, to be called the township of Hoboken."

Also,

An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to change the time

of holding the annual Town Meetings in the township of Pa-haquarry, in the county of Warren.

Also,

An act to repeal an act entitled, "An act regulating elections in the township of Franklin, in the county of Gloucester," approved March fourth, eighteen hundred and forty six.

And also,

An act concerning Streets, in the new manufacturing town of Elizabethport,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of Townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

Mr. Fithian presented the petition of Joel Moore and others, inhabitants of the counties of Cumberland and Salem, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to incorporate a company to construct a turnpike or gravel road from Bridgeton to Deerfield, with the privilege of extending it on to the Pole Tavern, to connect with the Pole Tavern and Mulica Hill turnpike road.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Rahway Steam Brick Company.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent accidents from the use of Locomotive Engines on Railroads," passed March ninth, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections,

and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,
 Supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," passed March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled, "

A supplement to the act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April seventeen, eighteen hundred and forty six,

Was taken up and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Fithian,

The further consideration thereof was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of works to supply the City of Paterson with Water,

Was taken up and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Canfield,

The same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

A Supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed the twenty-ninth day of February; A. D. one thousand eight hundred and three,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the said bill ordered to be re-engrossed and have a final reading.

Mr. Alexander gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce.

A bill entitled;

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to encourage the establishment of Mutual Loan and Building Associations," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the suppression of Lotteries,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Canfield, the same was postponed for the present.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate then adjourned.

TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander presented an extract from the minutes of the proceedings of a meeting of the Common Council of the city of Trenton, held March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-two.—"Resolving, That three be appointed to obtain an amendment to the charter of the Trenton Water Works, which shall provide that the Common Council of said city shall in no case subscribe to the capital stock of said Company, without first submitting the question as to whether such subscription shall be made to the electors of the city at the regular city election, and receiving the sanction of a majority of said electors to such subscription."

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to establish Public Schools."

And,

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

And,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February the twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and three.

And,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Woodstown and Pennsgrove Turnpike Company.

And also,

Joint resolution entitled,

Joint Resolution authorizing the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies, to subscribe for a part of the Capital Stock of the Belvidere Delaware Railroad Company.

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to authorize the erection of Dams at Scudder's Falls, and Wells' Falls, and to improve the navigation of the river Delaware,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson and Hackensack Rail Road Company," approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved the fifteenth day of April, A. D. eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a second time.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate agree to the first section?

The said section was not agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mulford, the said bill from the House of Assembly, was then indefinitely postponed.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Riverton Improvement Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Burlington Gas Light Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to repeal an act entitled, "An act to change the time of holding the annual town Meetings in the township of Pa-haquarry, in the county of Warren,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mendham Aqueduct Company,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed and have a final reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Zinc Mines Plank Road Company,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the said bill ordered to be re-engrossed and have a final reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent in certain cases the abatement of Suits, and reversal of Judgments," approved March seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up, and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Sitgreaves, the same was postponed for the present.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to encourage the establishment of Mutual Loan and Building Associations," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to

have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. Davis, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Chingarora Dock Company of Key Port," approved February twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Mulford,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly had passed

The bill from the Senate entitled,

An act to exempt from sale or execution the Homestead of a Householder having a family,

With sundry amendments,

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

He was further directed to inform the Senate, that the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to provide for the incorporation of Insurance Companies,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed

The bill entitled,

An act to create the county of Union.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. Alexander presented the memorial of Abraham R. Harris, Town Superintendent, and others, as Trustees of the Public Schools of the city of Trenton, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to repeal that portion of the eighth section of the school law, passed March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty, as relates to the raising of a certain amount of money in support of common schools in said city, and let the inhabitants vote thereon.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Canfield, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Trustees of the School Fund to sell the lands belonging to the State, at or near the city of Paterson.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Sperry presented the remonstrance of Abraham Perkins and others, inhabitants of the county of Burlington, remonstrating against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State, authorizing the erection of Dams or other artificial works in the Delaware river, at ~~Scudder's Falls and Wells' Falls.~~

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled, "An act, concerning Justices of the Peace and Courts of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

And also,

The bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," passed the nineteenth of March, eighteen hundred and forty-five.

And also, the bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Railway Steam Brick Company,

And also,

A supplement to "An act, to prevent accidents from the use of Locomotive Engines on rail-roads," passed March, nine, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred the petition of Joel Moore and others, upon that subject, reported.

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Bridgeton and Pole Tavern Turnpike Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to create the county of Union,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The engrossed Joint Resolution, entitled,

Joint Resolution authorizing the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Delaware and Amboy Railroad Company,

Was taken up, and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed joint resolution pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleeker, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, and Satterthwaite—5.

Ordered, That the President sign said Joint Resolution, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said Joint Resolution, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A Supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed the twenty-ninth day of February, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and three,

Was taken up and read a third time, and the ninth section thereof, as follows:

9. *And be it enacted*, That the Common Council of the city of Trenton, may make a loan to said company, or take stock on behalf of said city, in said company, and for that purpose may authorize the Mayor to issue, and the Treasurer to dispose of bonds of said city, redeemable in twenty years, or sooner, at the option of said city; to an amount not exceeding forty thousand dollars; these bonds shall bear not more than six per cent. interest, payable semi-annually, and shall not be taxable in said city; the Mayor of said city shall represent said stock at all meetings of the company.

Mr. Sitgreaves moved that the said bill be re-committed to the committee on Corporations, in order to have a report further upon the above section.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleeker, Burk, Davis, Hopper, Man-

ners, (Pres.) Mulford, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Potts, Rogers, and Zabriskie—7.

So said motion was agreed to, and said bill re-committed accordingly.

Mr. Zabriskie, in pursuance of notice heretofore given asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act authorizing the construction of a road separate from the route of the New Jersey Railroad, at and eastwardly of the Hackensack Bridge, in the county of Hudson.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Rahway Steam Brick Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves and Zabriskie—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—8.

So said engrossed bill was disagreed to.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled,—"An act to establish Public Schools,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill; the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Pemberton Turnpike or Plank Road Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Mulford, and Potts—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Woodstown and Pennsgrrove Turnpike Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleucker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves and Wallace—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent accidents from the use of Locomotive Engines on Railroads," passed March ninth, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that

the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act concerning Justices of the Peace, and Courts of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-s.x.

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Buile, Canfield, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," approved March the nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-five.

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act in relation to all Companies transacting the business
of Life Insurance within this State.

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.
Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended,
pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield,
Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Mathers,
(Pres.) Mulford, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite,
and Zabriskie—5.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary
carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the
Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with
sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence
of the House of Assembly is requested.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom
had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act authorizing the construction of a road separate from
the route of the New Jersey Railroad, and eastwardly of the
Hackensack Bridge, in the county of Hudson,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom
had been referred

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the
proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February
the twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and three.

Reported back the same with sundry amendments, as in-
structed by the Senate.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, re-
ported that they had examined

The amendments made in the Senate to said bill don't
 The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the more speedy and better collecting of unpaid
 taxes, in the township of West Milford, in the county of Pas-
 saic, and the township of Deptford, in the county of Glou-
 cester,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed,

Mr. Mulford gave notice, that he would on to-morrow, or
 some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act concerning a subscription or loan by the city of
 Trenton.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the more speedy and better collecting of delin-
 quent taxes, in the township of West Milford in the county of
 Passaic, and township of Deptford, in the county of Glouces-
 ter,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended,
 pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bloecker, Burk, —Canfield,
 Congar, Davis, Edmonds, Hopper, Manassa, (Pres.) Mul-
 ford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace
 —15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Zabriskie—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary
 carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that
 the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assem-
 bly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the
 concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act estab-
 lishing a Militia System," approved April fifteenth, eighteen
 hundred and forty-six,

Which had been postponed on a former occasion,
Was again taken up, and read, and the second section thereof, as follows:

2. And be it enacted, That the several uniform companies, and all officers attached to the Hudson Brigade, shall parade for inspection, review, or improvement, by company, battalion, regiment, or brigade, not less than four, nor more than six times annually, at such times and places as the commandant of said brigade shall direct; and every such uniformed officer or private, performing such duty, and having a certificate thereof, under the hand of the Inspector of the brigade, shall be exempt from the performance of duty as a petit juror, in the Courts of Record of Hudson county, for the period of one year from the date of said certificate.

Mr. Alexander moved to restore the words, "and every such uniformed officer or private performing such duty and having a certificate thereof, and under the hand of the Inspector of the Brigade, shall be exempt from the performance of duty as a Petit Juror in the Courts of Record of Hudson county, for the period of one year from the date of said certificate, after the word "direct," in the fifth line, which had been stricken out while under consideration before.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS:—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sturgeaves, and Wallace—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, and Zabriskie—7.

So said motion to restore the part of the section so struck out, was agreed to.

The third and remaining sections of said bill, were read, considered, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Zabriskie presented the petition of William De Wit Clinton Jones and others, inhabitants of the county of Hudson, praying the Legislature of this State to pass

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April fifteen, eighteen hundred and forty six.

Also, the petition of Thomas McWilliams and others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Potts gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Toms' River and Barnagat Steamboat Company.

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The Senate then adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Burk presented the remonstrance of Joseph M. Paul and others, inhabitants of the county of Gloucester, remonstrating against the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State entitled,

An act to authorize the erection of Dams at Scudder's Falls, and Wells' Falls, and to improve the navigation of the river Delaware.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize the formation of Railroad Companies, and the construction of Railroads,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

Mr. Zabriskie gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act for the better regulation of Wharves at Jersey City.

And also,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate Jersey City," approved March eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Mr. Potts, in pursuance of notice, given yesterday, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Toms River and Barnegat Steamboat Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Trenton Hose Company of Trenton.

Also,

An act to incorporate the New Jersey Natural History Society.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Odd Fellow's Hall Association of Camden, New Jersey," approved February the twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Also,

A further supplement to the "Act to incorporate the City of Trenton," passed the seventh of March, A.D., eighteen hundred and thirty-seven.

Also,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Morristown Fire Association," passed February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven.

Also,

An act for the relief of the Trustees of the Zoar Methodist Episcopal Church, in the county of Ocean.

Also,

An act for the relief of Harvey Dayton.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate severally entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to fishing in Oldman's Creek, in the counties of Salem and Gloucester," passed March fifth, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

Also,

An act relative to foreign Judgments,

Also,

An act to authorize the partition of land, in cases where particular undivided shares therein, are limited over.

Also,

An act to authorize the sale of one-half or the lower portion of Burlington or Matinicum Island.

Also,

An act to annex part of the township of Mansfield to the township of Oxford, in the county of Warren.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools, in the township of Salem, in the county of Salem," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Also,

An act explanatory of the act entitled "An act relative to Officers, Commissions, and Resignations," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Without amendment.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate entitled,

An act for the purchase of Stephens' Historical Index of New Jersey,

With sundry amendments.

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bills from the House of Assembly severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Point Plank Road Company.

Also,

An act giving to James Anderson and Sarah Turner, and to all persons claiming any real or personal estate under them, the same rights and powers that they would have been entitled, if the said James and Sarah had been born in lawful wedlock.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the relief of Creditors against Corporations,"

Also,

An act to protect Fish in Collvers or Round Pond, and in the Long Pond, and in Lake Hopetcong, in the counties of Sussex and Morris,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

The bill entitled,

An act explanatory of the act entitled "An act relative to Officers, Commissions, and Resignations," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the sale of one-half or the lower portion of Burlington or Matinichunk Island.

And also,

The bill entitled,

An act to annex part of the township of Mansfield to the township of Oxford, in the county of Warren,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to create the county of Union,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report :

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report :

That they presented to the Governor for his approval, March second,

No. 62. A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

No. 29. A further supplement to the act entitled "An to incorporate the Belvidere Delaware Rail Road Company," passed March second, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,
Chairman of Committee of Senate.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

Also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mendham Aqueduct Company.

Also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Zinc Mines Road Company.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

And also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson and Hackensack Rail Road Company," approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty;

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Mulford, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act concerning a certain subscription or loan by the city of Trenton.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Bleeker, from the committee on Education, to whom had been referred the petition of Abraham R. Harris, Town Superintendent of Trenton, and others, upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools in the city of Trenton," approved March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Rogers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled, "An act to encourage the

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to encourage the establishment of Mutual Loan and Building Associations," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the Fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes," passed November twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and eight,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same Committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to prevent Swine from running at large in this State,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

Mr. Alexander offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Committee on Finance be instructed to inquire whether any Banks in this State have declined paying the tax required by law to be paid upon their capital stock, and to take such order thereon as may be deemed necessary and expedient.

Which was read and agreed to.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Trenton Hose Company of Trenton.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Odd Fellow's Hall Association of Camden, New Jersey," approved February seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "~~An act to incorporate~~ the Morristown Fire Association," passed February twenty-seven, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the relief of the Trustees of the Zoar Methodist Episcopal Church in the county of Ocean,

Were severally take up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the New Jersey Natural History Society,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Education.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Trenton." passed March seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the relief of Harvey Dayton,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Zinc Mines Road Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEs.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Conger, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

NAVS.—Messrs. Elthian, Rogers, and Zabriskie—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the partition of lands in cases where particular undivided shares therein are limited over.

And also,

The bill entitled,

An act relative to Foreign Judgments,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Davis, Edmunds, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

NAVS.—Messrs. Greer, Rogers, and Zabriskie—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent fraudulent elections by incorporated companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved the fifteenth day of April, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the negative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Davis, Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—9.

So said engrossed bill was disagreed to.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Riverton improvement Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—10.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Burlington Gas Light Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?]

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to repeal an act entitled an act to change the time of holding the annual Town Meetings in the township of Pahaquarry, in the county of Warren,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company,

Was taken up and read a second time, and the first section thereof, as follows :

1. BE IT ENACTED, *By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That William Cooper, Rod-

man M. Price, David Allerton, Francis Price, Elijah Ward, Dudley Gregory, their present and future associates, their successors and assigns, be and they are hereby created a body corporate and politic, in fact and in name, by the name of the "Weehawken Ferry Company," for the purpose of establishing a communication and means of transportation between some suitable point or points in the city of New York, and a point or points at or near Weehawken, in the county of Hudson, with power to build boats, wharves, piers, bulkheads, and all other improvements necessary to carry out the objects of this corporation; and also to lease, purchase and hold such real and personal estate as may by said corporation be deemed necessary and advantageous in connection therewith, and sell, lease, allot and parcel the same, or any part thereof, in such manner as the said corporation may determine, together with all the powers and privileges, and subject to such restrictions, limitations and conditions as are specified in the act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six, except as otherwise granted in and by this act of incorporation.

Mr. Zabriskie moved to strike out the enacting clause of said bill.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Rogers, and Zabriskie—2.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

So said motion to strike out the enacting clause of said bill was not agreed to.

The second and remaining sections of said bill, were read, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act relative to freight and transit duties on rail roads in this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Coagar moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Mannors, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—6.

So said motion was agreed to,
The Senate adjourned accordingly.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Zabriskie presented the memorial of George W. Stanton and others, inhabitants of Jersey City, in this State, remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State, entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water.

Also, the memorial of Stephen Garretson and others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also the memorial of John Horn and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also the memorial of David Bradford and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which were read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Alexander presented the memorial of Patrick Kelly, and others, inhabitants of the city of Jersey City, remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State, entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water.

• Which were ordered to lie on the table without reading.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act for the relief of Harvey Dayton,
Reported the same without amendment.

At the same time stating that there was no evidence before the said Committee of the justness, or otherwise, of said application.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Trenton." passed March seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Bleecker, from the committee on Education, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Trustees of the School Fund to sell the lands belonging to the State, at or near the city of Paterson,

Reported the same without amendment.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the approbation of the Senate to the official bond of Rescarrick M. Smith, Treasurer of the State, and that the same has been deposited in the office of the Secretary of State.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Chingarora Dock Company of Key Port," approved February twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Toms' River and Barnabat Steam-boat Company,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

The same gentleman from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act concerning a certain subscription or loan by the city of Trenton,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same Committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Odd Fellow's Hall Association of Camden, New Jersey," approved February the twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the relief of the Trustees of the Zoar Methodist Episcopal Church in the county of Ocean.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Morristown Fire Association," passed February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven.

And also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Trenton Hose Company of Trenton,

Reported the same without amendments.

Mr. Canfield, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act concerning Landlords and Tenants," approved April fifteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on so much of the Governor's Message as relates to Banks and Banking, reported

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to prevent frauds by incorporated companies.

• Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mendham Aqueduct Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed the twenty-ninth day of February, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and three,

Which had been re-committed, and reported by the committee amended, as directed by the Senate,

Was again taken up, the amendments read and disagreed to, and the re-engrossed bill ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Zabriskie moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February the twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and three.

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

Mr. Alexander moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-third rule as prescribes that public bills and joint resolutions shall, after the first reading, be printed for the use of the Senate, in order to put

The bill entitled,

An act concerning a certain subscription or loan, by the city of Trenton,

On its second reading without printing.

Which motion was agreed to, and said rule suspended accordingly.

Said bill was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting Conveyances," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a second time, and the second section thereof, as follows :

2. *And be it enacted*, That the last proviso in the first section of the act approved the seventh day of March, eighteen hundred and fifty, entitled a supplement to the act entitled, "An act respecting conveyances," approved April fourteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six, be and the same is hereby repealed; and that all deeds found according to the provisions of that section when recorded, shall be filed and kept as deeds recorded ten years after the date thereof, are herein directed to be kept and copies thereof may for the purpose of notice, be recorded in like manner; and that when any copy of a deed may be offered in evidence, after notice to produce the original as provided for in the same section of the above mentioned act, approved March seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty, the court before whom such copy is offered as evidence, shall determine according to the circumstance and situation of the parties, whether such diligent search and inquiry for the original has been made as is required in such second section, and the determination of such court that such search or inquiry has been made, shall be final and conclusive.

Mr. Potts moved to strike out the words "and the determination of such Court that such search or inquiry has been made, shall be final and conclusive," after the word section, in the fourteenth line.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield,
Davis, Greer, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bixsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian,
Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—8.

So said motion to strike out was agreed to.

The remaining sections of said bill,

Were read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and West Jersey Telegraph Company," approved March sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Prospect Hill Cemetery of Bellville,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April fifteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act for the relief of Elenor Barkalow, of the county of Middlesex,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Chingarora Dock Company, of Keyport," approved February twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act authorizing the construction of a road separate from the route of the New Jersey Railroad, and eastwardly of the Hackensack Bridge, in the county of Hudson,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act respecting writs of Certiorari,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the first section thereof as follows :

1. **BE IT ENACTED**, *By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That no assessment of taxes shall hereafter be reversed, avoided or set aside upon any certiorari brought in any court of this state, because in such assessment the taxes upon real and personal estate are not separated, nor because the state, county, borough, ward or city taxes, or any of them, are blended together, nor because the aggregate amount of money levied or assessed in any township, borough, ward or city, for taxes, is greater than called for by the law, resolution or resolutions raising, voting or granting the same, nor because any such assessment is made upon person or persons, body politic or corporate, his, her or their property at a rate or proportion higher or greater than authorized or required by the law, resolution or resolutions, order or vote raising or granting the money or moneys for which the said assessment of taxes is made.

Mr. Zabriskie moved to insert the words "to be," between the words in the the third line, "certiorari" and "brought."

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie.—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Potts, and Wallace—9.

So said motion to insert and amend, was not agreed to.

Mr. Zabriskie moved further to strike out the words "the taxes upon real and personal estate are not separated, nor because" in the fourth line between the words "assessment" and "the" in said section above read :

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Burk, Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—6.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Congar, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—8.

So said motion to strike out as aforesaid, was not agreed to.

The said section was then agreed to.

The remaining sections of said bill were read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed and the bill to have a third reading.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has acceded to the request of the Senate for the return of

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Eagle Mining Company, in the county of Somerset, and State of New Jersey,

Which was sent to the House of Assembly by mistake.

And the said bill is accordingly now returned.

Mr. Mulford moved that

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of townships, designating their powers,

and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, Anno Domino, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Be now taken up, read a third time; and put upon its final passage.

Which motion was considered and agreed to.

Said bill from the House of Assembly;

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—6.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill; the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act concerning a certain subscription or loan by the city of Trenton,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Alexander moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act concerning a certain subscription or loan by the city of Trenton,

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

Mr. Burk moved to re-consider the vote by which the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Riverton Improvement Company,

Was lost on its final passage.

Said motion to re-consider was agreed to, and the bill ordered to be put on its final passage.

The same gentleman then moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Riverton improvement Company,

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up.

Upon the question,
Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,

The further consideration thereof was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to fishing in Oldman's Creek, in the counties of Salem and Gloucester," passed March fifth, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

And also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools in the township of Salem, in the county of Salem," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Congar,
The Senate then adjourned.

THURSDAY, MARCH 4, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer, by the Rev. Mr. Green.

Mr. Alexander presented the remonstrance of Francis Boyle, and others, inhabitants of Jersey City, remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State, entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water.

Which was ordered to lie on the table without reading.

Mr. Alexander presented the remonstrance of James Kelly, and others, inhabitants of the city of Trenton, remonstrating against the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State erecting any new additional Ward within the bounds of said city.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

The same gentleman presented the remonstrance of William Styles and thirty-five others, inhabitants of the township of Springfield, and county of Essex, remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature, creating a new county, entitled,

An act creating the county of Union.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

The same gentleman presented the remonstrance of Amos Hedden and others, inhabitants of the village of Plainfield, in the county of Essex, remonstrating against dividing the county of Essex, and against making the borough of Elizabeth the county seat of the new county, if the same should be passed.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

The President laid before the Senate the petition of William S. Wyckoff, and others, inhabitants of the township of Bethlehem, in the county of Hunterdon, praying that if a new county is created by an act of the Legislature of this State to be called the county of Musconetcong, from parts of the counties of Hunterdon and Warren, that the lines of said new county may be so laid as to attach them to the township of Franklin, in the county of Hunterdon.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

At the same time stating that the propriety of such an act is at least doubtful, if not inexpedient.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act concerning Landlords and Tenants," approved April fifteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Bleecker, from the committee on Education, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the New Jersey Natural History Society,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Alexander gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act relative to paving Gutters and collecting Penalties in the City of Trenton.

Mr. Zabriskie, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate Jersey City," approved March eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the preserva-

tion of Clams and Oysters," approved April the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to establish Public Schools."

Also,

An act for the relief of the surviving widows of such deceased officers and soldiers of the revolutionary war as in their lifetime, and up to the time of their death, were pensioned by the Legislature of this State, and for whose surviving widows no provision by way of pension, hath been made by the Legislature of this State.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Westfield and Camden Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the relief of the surviving widows of such deceased officers and soldiers of the revolutionary war, as in their lifetime and up to the time of their death, were pensioned by the Legislature of this State, and for whose surviving widows no provision by way of pension, hath been made by the Legislature of this State,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Claims and Pensions.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled;

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to establish Public Schools,"

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Education.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act for the preservation of Clams and Oysters," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. Satterthwaite moved, that

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Riverton Improvement Company,

Which had been previously lost and re-considered,

Should now be taken up and put upon its final passage.

Which motion was agreed to.

Said bill from the House of Assembly

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Manners, (Pres.) and Mulford—9.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the "Act to incorporate the City of Trenton," passed the seventh of March, eighteen hundred and thirty seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act concerning the duties of Attorney General.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to erect parts of the counties of Hunterdon and Warren, into a new county, to be called the county of Musconetcong,

Was taken up, read a second time, and amended, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Sitgreaves, the same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Alexander offered the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, (the House of Assembly concurring,) That on the publication of Gifford's Digest of the Laws of this State, the Treasurer be, and he is hereby directed, to furnish a copy of the same to each new member of the present Legislature.

Which was read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the said concurrent resolution, and request their assent thereto.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate Jersey City," approved March eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the

Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a final reading.

The bill entitled,

An act for the purchase of Stephens' Historical Index of New Jersey,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a final reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to exempt from sale on Execution, the Homestead of a Householder having a family,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a final reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the Fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes," passed November twenty-six, eighteen hundred and eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act concerning Streets, in the new manufacturing town of Elizabethport,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Mulford gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Woodbury and Camden Turnpike Company.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Zinc Mines Road Company;

And also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mendham Acqueduct Company,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Burk presented the remonstrance of James A. Boyd and others, inhabitants of the city of Trenton, remonstrating against the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, authorizing the construction of Dams in the Delaware river.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred divers petitions and remonstrances upon the subject of the Maine Liquor Law,

Asked that the said Committee be relieved from any further consideration of the subject.

Which motion was not agreed to.

Mr. Congar then moved to reconsider the vote by which

the Senate refused to relieve the Judiciary Committee from any further consideration of the Maine Liquor Law.

Which motion was agreed to, and the vote to refuse re-considered.

On motion, the said committee was then relieved of any further consideration of the subject.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Claims and Pensions, to whom had been referred,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the relief of the surviving widows of such deceased officers and soldiers of the revolutionary war as in their lifetime, and up to the time of their death, were pensioned by the legislature of this state, and for whose surviving widows no provision by way of pension hath been made by the legislature of this state,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed the twenty-ninth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and three,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson and Hackensack Rail Road Company," approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the negative as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Wallace, and Zabriskie—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, and Satterthwaite—10.

So said bill was disagreed to.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the Practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Blaecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—19.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the

Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read at hird time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Greer, Potts, Rogers, and Zabriskie—4.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act relative to freight and transit duties on Rail Roads in this State,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Edmunds, Fithian, and Zabriskie—4.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the

Chingarora Dock Company of Key Port," approved February twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act respecting writs of Certiorari,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—10

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—9.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report:

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report:

That they presented to the Governor for his approval, March fourth,

No. 69. An act to authorize the sale of one-half or the lower portion of Burlington or Matinicum Island.

No. 72. An act to annex part of the township of Mansfield to the township of Oxford, in the county of Warren.

No. 93. An act explanatory of the act entitled "An act relative to Officers, Commissions, and Resignations," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

No. 40. A further supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to fishing in Oldman's Creek, in the counties of Salem and Gloucester," passed March fifth, eighteen hundred and thirty six.

No. 57. An act relative to Foreign Judgments.

No. 59. An act to authorize the Partition of Lands in cases where particular undivided shares therein are limited over.

No. 77. A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools in the township of Salem, in the county of Salem," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,

Chairman of Committee of Senate.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act authorizing the construction of a road separate from the route of the New Jersey Railroad, at and eastwardly of the Hackensack Bridge, in the county of Hudson,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to repeal the charter of the People's Bank at Paterson, with the supplements thereto,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie, the further consideration of said bill was indefinitely postponed.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly, and indefinitely postponed the same.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Eagle Mining Company, in the county of Somerset, and State of New Jersey,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Groer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie.—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Mulford, Potts, and Wallace.—4.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

Mr. Satterthwaite moved to reconsider the vote by which

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act respecting writs of Certiorari,

Was lost on its final passage.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Edmunds, Rogers, and Zabriskie—4.

So said motion to reconsider, was agreed to.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication:

To the President of the Senate:

The members of the Senate are invited to attend the meeting of the American Bible Society, this evening, at half past seven o'clock, in the chamber of the House of Assembly.

The Governor of the State will preside.

Addresses may be expected from Governor Vroom, Chancellor Williamson, Mr. Frelinghuysen, and other gentlemen.

In behalf of the Society,

GEORGE SHELDEN.

TRENTON, March 4, 1852.

Which was read, and agreed to.

Mr. Mulford moved that the Senator from Somerset, from continued indisposition, be excused from any further action on so much of the Governor's Message as relates to districting the State.

Which motion was unanimously agreed to.

The chair then announced the Senator from Camden to supply the place of the Senator from Somerset, as the chairman of the above mentioned Committee.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water,

Was taken up, and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the same was postponed for the present.

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,
The Senate then adjourned.

FRIDAY, MARCH 4, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer, by the Rev. Mr. Green.

Mr. Alexander presented the remonstrance of Charles M. Holmes, and others, inhabitants of Jersey City, remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State, entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water.

Also, the remonstrance of David Jones and others, inhabitants aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also the remonstrance of Matthew Brady and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which were severally ordered to lie on the table without reading.

The President laid before the Senate a memorial of Peter Howell and others, inhabitants of the city of Trenton, respectfully requesting that no further action be taken in the Senate, in relation to the bill now before them, creating a new addi-

tional ward in said city, until a public meeting can be had in regard the matter.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Munford, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Woodbury and Camden Turnpike Company."

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Zabriskie, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act for the better regulation of the use of Wharves in Jersey City.

Which was read the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. Rogers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred.

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act for the preservation of Clams and Oysters," approved April, fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Reported the same without amendment.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the resolution adopted by the Senate, providing

That on the publication of Gifford's Digest of the Laws of this State, the Treasurer be, and he is hereby directed, to furnish a copy of the same to each new member of the present Legislature.

And,

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bills from the House of Assembly severally entitled,

An act for the more speedy and better collecting of unpaid taxes, in the township of West Milford, in the county of Passaic.

Also;

An act in relation to all Companies transacting the business of Life Insurance within this State.

Mr. Alexander moved to reconsider the vote by which

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson and Hackensack Rail Road Company," approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty;

Was lost on its final passage.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Hopper, Manners, (Præs.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Canfield, Davis, Greer, Rogers, and Satterthwaite—7.

So said motion to re-consider, was agreed to.

Mr. Hopper then moved that the aforesaid bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson and Hackensack Railroad Company," approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Be taken up and re-committed to the Committee on Corporations, for their further consideration.

Which motion was agreed to, and said bill re-committed accordingly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act respecting writs of Certiorari,

Which had been previously lost and re-considered,

Was again taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the negative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Wallace.—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Rogers, Satterthwaite and Zabriskie.—8.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the "Act for the protection of Bridges," passed February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-three,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie.—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, and Wallace.—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the Fisheries in the river Delaware, and for other purposes," passed November twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and eight,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper,

Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Silgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill entitled,

An act to erect parts of the counties of Hunterdon and Warren, into a new county, to be called the county of Musconetcong,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of works to supply the City of Paterson with Water,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Trustees of the School Fund to sell the lands belonging to the State, at or near the city of Paterson,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to encourage the establishment of Mutual Loan and Building Associations," approved February twenty-eight, A. D. eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools in the city of Trenton," approved March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act concerning Landlords and Tenants," approved April fifteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to prevent frauds by incorporated companies,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to make taxes a lien on real estate, in the county of Passaic, and to authorize the sale of the same for the payment thereof.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the suppression of Lotteries,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed and the bill ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled "An act to divide the township of North Bergen, in the county of Hudson, and to establish a new township in said county, to be called the township of Hoboken,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to repeal an act entitled "An act regulating elections in the township of Franklin, in the county of Gloucester," approved March four, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to change the mode of voting at Town Meetings, in the township of Walpack, in the county of Sussex,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Odd Fellow's Hall Association of Camden, New Jersey," approved February the twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to create the county of Union,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Rogers presented the remonstrance of William V. Putnam and others, inhabitants and voters of the township of Rahway, in the county of Essex, remonstrating against the division of the county of Essex, and against the formation of a new county, whereby the boundaries of Essex county will be altered.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Alexander presented the remonstrance of Andrew Anderson and others, inhabitants of Jersey City, remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State, entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water.

Which was ordered to lie on the table without reading.

Mr. Rogers, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act for the better regulation of the use of wharves in Jersey City,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Mulford, from the Committee on so much of the Governor's Message as relates to districting the State, reported

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Bleecker gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce.

A bill entitled,
An act defining the proceedings of Courts, in cases of erroneous taxation.

Mr. Satterthwaite offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it adjourn to meet again on Monday next, at three o'clock, in the afternoon.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Congar, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Canfield, Greer, Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—7.

So said resolution to adjourn was agreed to.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to create the county of Union,

Which had been previously postponed, was again taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson,"

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Prospect Hill Cemetery of Bellville,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act concerning the duties of Attorney General,

Also,

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Conveyances," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six. .

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and West Jersey Telegraph Company," approved March sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act for the relief of Elenor Barkalow, of the county of Middlesex,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report :

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report,

That they have this day presented to the Governor for his approval, March fifth,

No. 27. An act to incorporate the Zinc Mines Plank Road Company.

No. 35. An act to incorporate the Mendham Aqueduct Company.

No. 39. A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February the twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and three.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,

Chairman of Committee of Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the relief of Harvey Dayton,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act entitled, "An act to prevent Swine from running at large in this State,"

Was taken up and read a second time, and the fourth section thereof, as follows :

4. *And be it enacted*, That it shall and may be lawful for any person, who is a resident of the said townships or district, respectively, to drive or convey to the public pound of the township, any swine found running at large in the public streets, highways or otherwise, and impound the same, and the keeper or keepers of the public pounds in said township, is or are hereby required and authorized to receive all such swine, and the keeper shall have twenty-five cents per head, for letting in and out of the pound, and for feeding and keeping, five cents per head, for every twenty-four hours they shall continue in said pound, and if the owner or owners of the said swine so impounded, shall not pay the charges of impounding and keeping the said swine, within six days after said swine shall be impounded and take the same away, it shall be the duty of the said pound-keeper, to set up advertisements in three of the most public places in said township or district, describing such swine, and giving at least ten days notice of an intended day and place of sale; and if the owner or owners of such swine do not appear and redeem the same before the time so notified, then the said pound-keeper shall sell the same accordingly, and out of the money arising from such sale shall pay the charges of conveying to the pound, and retain in his hand his fees for impounding, keeping and feeding said swine, and twenty-five cents for advertising sale, and collecting the money for each swine, and pay the surplus to the owner or owners of the said swine, if they shall appear and claim such surplus within six months after such sale, and if the owner shall not appear within the time specified, the same shall be paid to the overseer of the poor of the said township, for the use of the poor of the said township. That it shall and may be lawful for any town, village or district, coming under the provisions of this act, to elect one pound-keeper, who shall be a resident for the time being of said town, village or district, to erect or cause to be erected a public pound or other inclosure for the safe keeping of swine found running at large as aforesaid.

Mr. Zabriskie moved to amend the same by inserting after

the word "Pound Keeper" and before the word "who;" the words "or Hog Reeve."

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Canfield, Congar, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) and Wallace—10.

So said motion to amend, was not agreed to.

The remaining sections of said bill were read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the safe keeping of the Records in the Surveyor-General's Office of the Eastern and Western Divisions of this State," passed December sixth, eighteen hundred and twenty-five.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed

The bill from the Senate entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Camden," approved March fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

With sundry amendments.

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Trenton Hose Company of Trenton,

Was taken up, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the safe keeping of the Records in the Surveyor-General's Office of the Eastern and Western Divisions of this State," passed December sixth, eighteen hundred and twenty-five,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the New Jersey Natural History Society,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Morristown Fire Association," passed February twenty-seven, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the relief of the Trustees of the Zoar Methodist Episcopal Church, in the county of Ocean,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the relief of the surviving widows of such deceased officers and soldiers of the revolutionary war as in their lifetime, and up to the time of their death, were pensioned by the legislature of this state, and for whose surviving widows no provision by way of pension hath been made by the legislature of this state,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Fithian, the same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the city of Camden," approved March fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a final reading.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to alter the act entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," approved March the nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-five,

Reported the same without amendment.

Said bill from the House of Assembly, was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Potts,

The Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, MARCH 8, 1852.

At three o'clock,

The Senate having been called to order by the Secretary,

He announced to the Senate that the President had not yet arrived in town.

Whereupon, Mr. Congar moved that the Hon. William C. Alexander, of Mercer, be appointed President *pro tempore*.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

The President *pro tempore* then took the chair.

The following message was received from the Governor by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, March 6, 1852. }

To the Senate :

Mr. President :—I have this day approved and signed the following bills originating in your House :

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools, in the township of Salem, in the county of Salem," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

An act to authorize the partition of land, in cases where particular undivided shares therein, are limited over.

An act relative to foreign Judgments.

An act to annex part of the township of Mansfield to the township of Oxford, in the county of Warren.

An act explanatory of the act entitled "An act relative to Officers, Commissions, and Resignations," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to fishing in Oldman's Creek, in the counties of Salem and Gloucester," passed March fifth, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

An act to authorize the sale of one-half or the lower portion of Burlington or Matinicum Island.

GEO. F. FORT.

Mr. Potts gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize a contract for heating the State Prison with Steam.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight.

Also,

The re-engrossed bill, entitled,

* An act to exempt from sale or execution the Homestead of a Householder having a family,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Mulford,

The Senate then adjourned.

TUESDAY, MARCH 9, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Green.

Mr. Alexander presented the memorial of Adolphus S. Gilbert, and others, inhabitants of Jersey City, remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State, entitled,

An act for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water.

Which was ordered to lie on the table without reading.

The following Message was received from the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, March 8, 1852. }

To the Senate, and

General Assembly :

I have received, and herewith transmit, a communication (with memorial enclosed) from Gabriel V. Disosway, Esq.,

the agent of the State of New York, in reference to a cession of Jurisdiction to said State for sanitary purposes, of a portion of Sandy Hook, in the county of Monmouth, in this State.

The attention of the Legislature of this State was called to this Subject during the session of eighteen hundred and fifty, by the Commissioners of the New York Land Office, who had the matter in charge. No definite or final action was taken in regard to it at that time. Since then, however, the General Government has conveyed the fee and such Jurisdiction as she had acquired from us by Legislative grant, to the State of New York. That State is still unwilling to take possession, use, and occupy it for said purposes, without the consent of New Jersey, expressed through her legally constituted authorities, in order to avoid any future collisions which might be provoked in reference to conflicting claims of Jurisdiction interposed by the two States.

It remains for the Legislature of this State to decide how far the interests of this State, or its citizens, in whole or in part, will be affected by the establishment contemplated. My information and reflection in regard to it, lead me to believe that no injury would result in granting the request of the authorities of our sister State.

GEO. F. FORT.

TRENTON, March 6, 1852.

To His Excellency,

Gov. FORT :

Dear Sir—I have the honor to hand to you, as requested by him, a letter from Governor Hunt of New York, to yourself, on the subject of the removal of the Quarantine from Staten Island to Sandy Hook. I also now enclose the memorial of the Land Commissioners of the State of New York, to your Legislature, presented two years since.

In addition to the views then taken on this subject, the lands wanted for the purpose have been purchased of the United States, and the Deeds obtained ; and nothing now remains to carry out the benevolent plan contemplated, in which both

States are deeply and materially interested—than what the memorial sets forth.

Respectfully,

GABRIEL V. DISOSWAY.

The memorial of the State of New York, through the Commissioners of the Land Office, and the Health Officer of the port of New York, to-whom the duty has been intrusted by said State.

To the Legislature of the State of New Jersey,

Respectfully Sheweth:—

That from the proximity of the two States, and the very intimate business relations at all times existing between the inhabitants thereof, no evil can assail the one without seriously affecting the other; that in particular the introduction and prevalence of infectious epidemics in the city of New York, while they prostrate all energy in the commercial capital of the Union, are directly by communication, and indirectly by the destruction of business relations, equally injurious to the sister State.

Your memorialists further show, that the present Quarantine Station at Staten Island, from the facility of intercourse, has become in effect, a part of the first ward of the city of New York, and is no protection whatever from disease, or from the panic attending it; and that a more remote station has become absolutely necessary for the safety of the city and its commerce.

That under a provisionary statute of the State of New York, the public attention has been directed to Sandy Hook, as a permanent site for a Hospital; and, upon due examination, it is presumed to afford conveniences for the establishment of a Quarantine of great security; and that the opinion of the officers to whom the matter was entrusted by the State of New York, is expressed in the annexed resolutions.

That for the purpose however, of giving effect to such sanitary law as the interests of the States of New York and New Jersey require, a cession of a portion of the Jurisdiction of New Jersey is necessary.

Your Memorialists, therefore most respectfully pray, that such cession may be made co-extensive with such portion of said

promontory, as the government of the United States may deem it unnecessary to retain, for actual fortifications and other military purposes; and may be willing to convey, to subserve the great interests above set forth, equally affecting the State of New Jersey, and the State of New York.

And your Memorialists will ever pray, &c.

[Signed,]

CHRISTOPHER MORGAN,

Secretary of State.

W. HUNT, *Comptroller.*

L. S. CHATFIELD,

Attorney General.

A. HUNT, *Treasurer.*

A. C. SEYMOUR,

State Engineer and Surveyor.

ALEXANDER B. WHITING,

Health Officer.

WHEREAS, By an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, passed tenth of April, eighteen hundred and forty-nine, the Commissioners of the said office, with the Health Officer of the port of New York, were directed, personally to examine and determine whether, in their opinion, the promontory, known as Sandy Hook, in the State of New Jersey, would be a proper and convenient site for the establishment of a Marine Hospital:

AND WHEREAS, The said Commissioners and Health Officers have examined the same, and do deem the same a proper and convenient site, and that the interest of New Jersey and the State of New York, which are so intimately involved in the matter, will be best advanced by establishing the Hospital there:

AND WHEREAS, The government of the United States is willing, for the common benefit of the States of New Jersey and New York, and for the protection of the public revenue, to cede a portion of said promontory to the State of New York, for the sole purpose of establishing there a safe and public Marine Hospital:

AND WHEREAS, We are satisfied with the portion to be

sold, and with the terms on which the government of the United States will convey the same :

Resolved, That a respectful memorial be presented to the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, showing the mutual interest of the State of New Jersey, and of the State of New York, in the contemplated Quarantine law, and not inconsistent with the jurisdiction already ceded to the United States for the purpose of public defence :

Also, Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions accompany the memorial, to be presented to the State of New Jersey.

[Signed,]

CHRISTOTHER MORGAN,

Secretary of State.

W. HUNT, *Comptroller.*

L. S. CHATFIELD,

Attorney General.

A. HUNT, *Treasurer.*

H. C. SEYMOUR,

State Engineer and Surveyor.

ALEXANDER B. WHITING,

Health Officer.

• SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Albany, January 25, 1850.

Which, with the accompanying documents, were read, and ordered to be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Zabriskie presented the petition of Albert W. Adams and others, inhabitants of Jersey City, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, now before the Senate, entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water.

Also, the petition of James A. Alexander and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also the petition of Phillip Smith and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which were read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary; to whom had been referred.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled, "An act to provide for the safe keeping of the Records in the Surveyor General's Office of the Eastern and Western Division of this State," passed December sixth, eighteen hundred and twenty-five,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Bleecker, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act defining the proceedings of Courts, in cases of erroneous taxation.

Which was read the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Potts, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize a contract for heating the State Prison with steam.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. Fithian presented the remonstrance of Lorenzo D. Lore, and two hundred and five others, inhabitants of the county of Cumberland, remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State, entitled,

An act authorizing the planting of Oysters on lands covered with water, belonging to the State of New Jersey, situate on Maurice River Cove, and for protecting the same.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Rogers gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Brunswick Savings Institution," approved March fifteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting Conveyances," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly had directed him to invite the attendance of the President and Senate, to witness an exhibition of the Pennsylvanian Institution of the Blind, on Thursday next, at three o'clock, P. M., in the Assembly Chamber.

Which invitation was accepted, and the Secretary directed to inform the House of Assembly of said acceptance.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Prospect Hill Cemetery of Bellville,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, and Potts—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Trenton Hose Company of Trenton.

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to encourage the establishment of Mutual Loan and Building Associations," approved February twenty-eight, A. D. eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Trustees of the School Fund to sell the lands belonging to the State, at or near the city of Paterson.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools in the city of Trenton," approved March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act concerning Landlords and Tenants," approved April fifteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to prevent frauds by incorporated companies,"

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, reported that they had examined

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Camden," approved March fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

And also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act for the purchase of Stephens' Historical Index of New Jersey,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

And also,

That they have examined

The amendments made by the Senate to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to make taxes a lien on real estate, in the county of Passaic, and to authorize the sale of the same for the payment thereof.

And also,

The amendments made by the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to prevent Swine from running at large in this State,

And find said amendments to be correctly engrossed.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the "Act to incorrate the City of Trenton," passed March seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven,

Was taken up, and
On motion of Mr. Canfield,

The same was re-committed to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the New Jersey Natural History Society,

Was again taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Greer—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the relief of the Trustees of the Zoar Methodist Episcopal Church in the county of Ocean,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative; as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Davis, Edmunds, Elthian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, and Potts—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secre-

tary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to change the mode of voting at Town Meetings, in the township of Walpack, in the county of Sussex,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to divide the township of North Bergen, in the county of Hudson, and to establish in said county a new township, to be called the township of Hoboken,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to alter the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," approved March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-five,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—11.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to prevent Swine from running at large in this State,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, and Wallace—4.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly; and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,
An act for the purchase of Stephens' Historical Index of
New Jersey,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk,
Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Man-
ners, (Pres.) Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie
—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary
inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred
in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said
bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed
the same.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to encourage the
establishment of Mutual Loan and Building Associations,"
approved the twenty-eighth day of February, A. D., eight-
teen hundred and forty-nine,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk,
Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.)
Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Fithian, Rogers, and Zabriskie—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary,
carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the
Senate has passed said bill, and request their concur-
rence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent frauds
by incorporated companies,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:.

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Mann-
ners, (Pres.) Silgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Potts, and Rogers—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication:

PENN. INST. FOR THE INSTRUCTION OF THE BLIND, }
Philadelphia, March 8, 1852. }

To the Honorable Speaker of the Senate:

DEAR SIR:—

I send herewith, the annual report of this Institution for 1851, a copy of which will be furnished to each of the members of the Senate, by the Secretary.

Very respectfully,

Your ob't serv't,

WILLIAM CHAPIN, *Principal.*

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication:.

OFFICE OF THE NEW JERSEY ZINK COMPANY, }
Newark, March 8th, 1852. }

To the Honorable President of the Senate:

SIR:—

The members of the Senate and House of Assembly, are respectfully invited to visit and inspect the manufacturing establishment of this company, at Newark, on Saturday the 26th inst., at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

JAMES L. CURTIS, *President.*

Which was read, and,
On motion of Mr. Alexander,
The invitation was accepted.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent in certain cases the abatement of Suits, and reversal of Judgments," approved March seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water,

Was taken up, and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,

The same was postponed for the present.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander presented the memorial of A. C. M. Pennington, and others, inhabitants of the city of Newark, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to repeal the law heretofore passed, entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Newark," approved February fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator presented the resolutions passed at a public meeting of the citizens of the Third and Fourth Wards of the city of Trenton, held on the eighth inst., protesting against creating a new Ward in the city of Trenton.

Which was read, and referred as aforesaid.

Mr. Rogers, from the committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred,

A bill entitled,

An act to authorize the heating the State Prison with Steam,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act defining the proceedings of Courts, in cases of erroneous taxation,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The amendments made in the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the suppression of Lotteries,"

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to repeal an act entitled "An act regulating elections in the township of Franklin, in the county of Gloucester," approved March fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Wallace, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Morristown Fire Association," passed February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The engrossed Joint Resolutions entitled,

Joint resolutions relative to the early records of the Supreme Court,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed joint resolution pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said Joint Resolution, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said Joint Resolution, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Trustees of the School fund to sell the lands belonging to the State, at or near the city of Paterson,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Zabriskie—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools in the city of Trenton," approved March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie.—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Toms' River and Barnagat Steam-boat Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The Secretary was directed by the President, to proceed and call the Senate, when

The following Senators answered the call :

PRESENT.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, and Sitgreaves—10.

ABSENT.—Messrs. Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Fithian, Greer, Mulford, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabris-
kie—10.

A quorum not being present,

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Sergeant-at-Arms was despatched for absent Senators.

After a short absence, a quorum having been obtained,

The Senate proceeded to business.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the safe keeping of the Records in the Surveyor-General's Office of the Eastern and Western Divisions of this State," passed December sixth, eighteen hundred and twenty-five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize the formation of Railroad Companies, and the construction of Railroads,

Was taken up and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the same was postponed for the present.

Mr. Congar gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to an act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company," approved March the eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been re-committed

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Trenton," passed March seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Zabriskie gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Hackensack Railroad Company.

Mr. Alexander moved that

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the "Act to incorporate the City of Trenton," passed the seventh of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven,

Which had been previously re-committed and again reported, be now taken up.

Which motion was agreed to.

Said bill was then taken up and read a second time, and the ninth section thereof, as reported by the committee, as follows :

9. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall not go into effect unless the assent of a majority of the electors of the city of Trenton who shall vote thereon, shall first be obtained; and for that purpose, a poll shall be opened in each ward of the city of Trenton, on Monday the 3d day of April, A. D. eighteen hundred and fifty-two, at the hour of seven o'clock in the forenoon, and kept open till the hour of seven o'clock in the afternoon of that day, under the direction of the Judges of the last election, in the several wards of the city, and at the place in each ward where the

last election was held, of which time and place, at least one week's previous notice shall be given; and if at such election, so to be held as aforesaid, a majority of the electors who shall vote at such election, are found to be in favor of this act, it shall then, but not otherwise, go into effect.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate agree to the section as reported by the committee, as an additional section?

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Burk, Fithian, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Wallace—6.

So said additional section, as reported, was agreed to.

The remaining sections of said bill were read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed and the bill ordered to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water.

Which had been previously postponed, was again taken up, read, and considered, and the seventeenth section thereof, as follows:

17. *And be it enacted*, That when the said Commissioners shall certify to the Mayor and Common Council of Jersey City, that the works contemplated by this act are so far completed that the inhabitants thereof may be regularly supplied with a sufficient quantity of pure and wholesome water for domestic use, then the Mayor and Common Council of Jersey City, shall instruct the assessors of the said city to assess, annually, upon all grounds within their limits, which are liable to taxation, a special tax, at the rate of two cents for each one hundred square feet of their

surface; which amount shall be collected and applied to the payment of interest upon the water scrip, until the water rents authorized to be collected by this act, shall amount to a sum sufficient to pay such interest as it accrues; after which the tax shall cease to be levied.

Mr. Alexander moved to strike out after the word "tax," in the seventh line, and before the word "which," in the eighth line, the words "at the rate of two cents for each one hundred square feet of their surface" and insert in lieu thereof, the words "of half a mill on a dollar of their valuation."

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Davis, Greer, Potts, and Wallace—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—9.

So said motion to strike out and amend, was not agreed to.

The eighteenth, and remaining sections of said bill, were read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate Jersey City," approved March eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Was taken up, read a second time; considered by sections, amended and agreed to; and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Bleecker moved, that the Senate do now adjourn.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriskie—10.

NARR.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Congar, Rogers, and Sitgreaves—5.

So said motion to adjourn was agreed to, and
The Senate adjourned accordingly.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10, 1852

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Potts presented the petition of James Sailor, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, authorizing the administrator of Samuel Sailor to re-convey certain real estate to him, the said James Sailor.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

An act to prevent the importation of Paupers and Vagrants into the counties of Burlington, Passaic, Camden, Gloucester, Morris, and Mercer.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Cumberland Nail and Iron Company.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate entitled,

An act to incorporate the Managers and Treasurer of the

School Fund, for the education of youth in the city of Burlington:

Also,

An act respecting the Hudson Brigade;
Without amendment.

And,

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Eagle Mining Company, in the county of Somerset, and State of New Jersey,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed; and has passed the same.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to prevent the importation of Paupers and Vagrants into the counties of Burlington, Passaic, Camden, Gloucester, Morris, and Mercer,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Cumberland Nail and Iron Company,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been re-committed

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson and Hackensack Railroad Company," approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Reported back the same with sundry amendments.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the city of Camden," approved March fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Alexander;

The same was postponed for the present.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act for the relief of Elenor Barkalow, of the county of Middlesex,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Congar, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—6.

So said engrossed bill was disagreed to.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson and Hackensack Rail Road Company," approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

And the amendments made thereto by the Committee,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the preservation of Clams and Oysters," approved April the fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act relative to paving Gutters, constructing Sewers and collecting Penalties in the City of Trenton.

Which was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Zabriskie, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Hackensack Rail Road Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Congar, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce.

A bill entitled;

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Odd Fellow's Hall Association of Camden, New Jersey," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Fithian, Greer, and Manners, (Pres.)—4.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to make taxes a lien on real estate, in the county of Passaic, and to authorize the sale of the same for the payment thereof;

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Mannors, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested..

The engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act concerning Landlord and Tenant," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Hopper, Mannors, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Wallace, and Zabriskie—15.

NAYS —None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of works to supply the City of Paterson with Water..

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to erect parts of the counties of Hunterdon and Warren, into a new county, to be called the county of Musconetcong.

Also;

The bill entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate Jersey City," approved March eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

And also;

The amendments made in the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the "Act to incorporate the City of Trenton," passed March seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The engrossed bill entitled;

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate Jersey City," approved March eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Mulford, and Potts—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works to supply the city of Paterson with water.

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill entitled,

An act for the purchase of Stephens' Historical Index of New Jersey,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Managers and Treasurer of the School Fund, for the education of youth, in the city of Burlington,

Also,

The bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred the petition of James Sailor, upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

An act for relief of James Sailor.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to prevent the importation of Paupers and Vagrants into the counties of Burlington, Passaic, Camden, Gloucester, Morris, and Mercer.

Reported the same without amendment, and with a request that said bill do not pass the Senate.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Wetacoe Fire Company, Number Two, of Camden.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

Supplement to the act entitled "An act to divide the township of North Bergen, in the county of Hudson, and to establish a new township in said county, to be called the township of Hoboken,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Rail Road Company.

Also,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the Practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

An act to set off a part of the township of Hohokus, in the county of Bergen, and to annex the same to the township of Washington, in said county of Bergen.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Justices of the Peace and Courts of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April fifteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Without amendment.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate, severally entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled an act respecting the Court of Chancery.

Also,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the Poor," approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

With sundry amendments,

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Cumberland Nail and Iron Company,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Wecacoe Fire Company, Number Two, of Camden,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April sixth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to divide the township of North Bergen, in the county of Hudson, and to establish a new township in said county, to be called the township of Hoboken,"

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Canfield,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson,"

Was taken up, and re-committed to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the suppression of Lotteries,"

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Congar—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The re-engrossed bill entitled;

An act to exempt from sale or execution the Homestead of a Householder having a family,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Burk, Eithian, Greer, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Wallace—6.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Silgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the safe keeping of the Records in the Surveyor-General's Office of the Eastern and Western Divisions of this State," passed December sixth, eighteen hundred and twenty-five,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Silgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery,"

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a final reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act for the settlement and relief of the Poor," approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and disagreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to the amendments made to said bill by the House of Assembly.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to prevent the importation of Paupers and Vagrants into the counties of Burlington, Passaic, Camden, Gloucester, Morris, and Mercer,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the planting of Oysters on land covered with water, belonging to the State of New Jersey, situate in Maurice river Cove, and for protecting the same,

Was taken up, and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Fithian, the same was indefinitely postponed.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act, entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a second time, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the same was postponed for the present.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act, entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of Townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was again taken up, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Congar, the same was indefinitely postponed.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly of the action of the Senate thereon.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to divide the township of North Bergen, in the county of Hudson, and to establish in said county a new township, to be called the township of Hoboken,"

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act relative to paving Gutters, constructing Sewers and collecting Penalties in the City of Trenton,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Congar gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Essex and Hudson Ferry Company.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report:

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report,

That they have presented to the Governor for his approval, March tenth,

No. 88. An act respecting the Hudson Brigade;

No. 70. An act to incorporate the Managers and Treasurer of the School Fund, for the education of youth, in the city of Burlington,

CHAS. SITGREAVES,
Chairman of Committee of Senate:

Mr. Zabriskie moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act for the preservation of Clams and Oysters," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, and Zabriskie—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Greer, and Wallace—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secre-

tary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Fithian,
The Senate then adjourned.

THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 1852.

Mr. Alexander presented the proceedings of a Public Meeting held in Trenton signed by Ogden D. Wilkinson, as Chairman, and John A. Howell, as Secretary, in favor of the passage of an act of the Legislature, now before them, creating a new ward in said city.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Burk presented the memorial of Mary Montgomery, remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Dams at Scudder's Falls, and Wells' Falls, and to improve the navigation of the river Delaware.

Also, the memorial of Sarah Smith Stafford, upon the same subject.

Which were severally read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Congar presented the remonstrance of Moses H. Williams and others, inhabitants of the township of Orange, in the county of Essex, remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State entitled,

An act to create the county of Union,

Also, the remonstrance of Taber Pierson and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also, the remonstrance of Albert Condit, and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which were read, and severally ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred a petition upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

An act to repeal part of an act entitled, "A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Newark," approved February fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred the Message of the Governor, of New Jersey, and the Documents accompanying the same, reported

A bill entitled,

An act giving the consent of New Jersey to the establishment of a Marine Hospital by the State of New York, at Sandy Hook.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent in certain cases the abatement of Suits, and reversal of Judgments," approved March seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,
An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Railroad
Company.

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom
had been referred

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled an act to incorporate the
Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company,
Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same Committee, to whom
had been referred

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the
Woodbury and Camden Turnpike Company,
Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom
had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weccacoe Fire Company, No. 2.,
of Camden,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Jus-
tices of the Peace, and Courts of General Quarter Sessions of
the Peace," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and
forty-six,

Also,

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act establishing
a Militia System," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hun-
dred and forty-six,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on
Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approba-
tion, with the following endorsement thereon:.

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Rogers, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Brunswick Savings Institution," approved March fifteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Congar, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Essex and Hudson Ferry Company,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Toms' River and Barnagat Steamboat Company,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication:

TRENTON. March 11, 1852.

To the Honorable,

Speaker of the Senate:

DEAR SIR:—The pupils of the Pennsylvania Institution for the instruction of the Blind, will give their exhibition in the Hall of the House, this afternoon, at three o'clock.

The honorable members of the Senate are respectfully invited.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

WILLIAM CHAPIN.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, March 18, 1852. }

To the Senate :

Mr. President :—I have this day approved and signed the following bills originating in your House :

A further supplement to an act entitled an "Act to incorporate the Belvidere Delaware Railroad Company," passed March second, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Freehold and Jamesburg Agricultural Railroad Company," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

An act to incorporate the Mendham Acqueduct Company.

An act respecting the Hudson Brigade.

An act to incorporate the Zinc Mines Plank Road Company.

An act to incorporate the Managers and Treasurer of the School Fund, for the education of youth in the city of Burlington.

GEO. F. FORT.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company,

Was taken up, when

Mr. Potts moved that the further reading of said bill be dispensed with.

Which motion was agreed to, and said bill put upon its final passage.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed; and passed the same.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Monmouth County Life and Health Insurance Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Manners, (Pres.) and Zabriskie—4.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to erect parts of the counties of Hunterdon and Warren, into a new county, to be called the county of Musconetcong,

Was taken up, and

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The same was postponed until the next session of the Legislature.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Toms' River and Barnegat Steamboat Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent in certain cases the abatement of Spits, and reversal of Judgments," approved March seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) and Potts—5.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act concerning the duties of Attorney General,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Davis, Manners, (Pres.) and Mulford—3.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

So said bill was disagreed to.

The bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Also,

The bill entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the Practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to set off a part of the township of Hohokus, in the county of Bergen, and to annex the same to the township of Washington, in said county of Bergen,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the "Act to incorporate the City of Trenton," passed March seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rogers, and Satterthwaite—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the

Camden and West Jersey Telegraph Company," approved March sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, and Satterthwaite—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—8.

So said bill was disagreed to.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Cumberland Nail and Iron Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

Mr. Hopper moved, that the vote by which

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson and Hackensack Rail Road Company," approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was ordered to be engrossed, for a third reading, be reconsidered.

Which motion was agreed to.

Said bill was then taken up, amended, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act for relief of James Sailor,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Wecaco Fire Company, Number Two, of Camden,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Fithian,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

The following message was also received from the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, }
Trenton, March 11, 1852. }

President of the Senate.

Honorable John Mannors,

Sir:—I have read and considered the bill entitled "A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed the twenty-ninth day of February, A. D., eighteen hundred and

three," and herewith return the same to your House, in which it originated, for re-consideration.

By the provisions of this bill the proprietors of the Trenton Water Works have their existing franchises, which are very liberal and quite unrestricted in character, confirmed and further enlarged by additional grants of power and privilege, such as are enjoyed by few or none of the corporate bodies of this State. While it is admitted that the object of this extension of powers—to furnish the said city with a more abundant supply of water, is exceedingly desirable and commendable, there are serious objections to conferring powers on a corporation, distinct from the city authorities, and over which they have a very limited, if any, control, by which such corporation, can at their option, regulate and prescribe, as well as restrict, the supply of water to the inhabitants of said city. Such dependence of a numerous body of citizens, on the will and interest of a corporation, presents a feature antagonistic to established views of individual rights and popular sovereignty. The whole matter should be under the direction of the municipal government, with an immediate responsibility to the people who are particularly interested. This would prevent conflicts of arrangements, and frequently recurring strifes in relation to the amount and mode of supply.—These thoughts are suggested by an examination of the original charter of this company, as well as the present supplement. My main objections to the bill are founded, however, upon other considerations, which are respectfully submitted.

By the ninth section of the bill, it is provided "that the Common Council of the city of Trenton may make a loan to said company, or take stock on behalf of said city, in said company, and for that purpose may authorize the Mayor to issue, and the Treasurer to dispose of, bonds of said city redeemable in twenty years, or sooner at the option of said city, to an amount not exceeding forty thousand dollars," by which it will be perceived that the Common Council of said city are authorized—1st, to loan money; 2d, to borrow money; 3d, to subscribe for stock; 4th, to lend money to another, and distinct corporation; and 5th, to create a permanent city debt. These are highly important prerogatives conferred by legislation on the Corporation of Tren-

ten, and are totally distinct in character from the other provisions of said bill.

Viewed in this light I cannot but regard it as directly contravening that salutary feature of the Constitution of this State which restricts every bill to one object, "and that shall be expressed in the title." (Constitution Article IV Section VII.)

The power hereby granted to the city authorities to loan money to another corporation, or to lend its credit to individuals or corporations, or to subscribe for stock, under any pretence, or for any purpose whatever, cannot have any proper or essential connection with a bill extending the chartered privileges of an association long since created for a special purpose. This lending and borrowing power conferred upon the municipal corporation, must be considered separately and distinctly, without regard to the object contemplated in the power granted. It is a privilege given to said city corporation by a legislative act which purports to be a supplement to "an act to incorporate the Proprietors of the Trenton Water Works." Its incongruity with the several provisions of the bill under consideration must, I think, be apparent.

This feature of the bill conflicts also with the charter of said city which confers no power to create a loan except for purposes specified in the twenty-fifth section of the act of incorporation, and in such cases only to a limited amount. Power to make assessments is conferred upon the Common Council for defraying the proper city expenses, and to borrow money for all purposes for which they are authorized by said act of incorporation to raise money by tax.— By the forty-fourth section of said charter, all the rights and privileges of the inhabitants of said city are secured except in the cases heretofore stated. With the exceptions set forth, the purse-strings of the city are wisely left in the hands of the citizens, and power is not conferred in the charter by which the Common Council may loan money or create a city debt.

This natural right should not be infringed without seasonable notice. City liabilities should not be incurred without the express direction or approval of the people, whose interests they so deeply affect. It is a principle which obtains throughout our State in its various municipal divisions.

It is observed in the government of counties and townships, as well as in cities and boroughs, and should never be departed from except in extraordinary cases.

Thus conflicting with the city charter in its spirit and provisions, without any reference thereto; or to the wishes of the people who are affected by the act, I conceive it to be a wide departure from sound policy and a due regard to popular rights and interests.

* Mutuality of benefits is not secured by this bill. "The Proprietors" are under no obligations to be regulated or even advised by "the Common Council." There is no absolute security made for an abundant and uninterrupted supply of water to the citizens, nor any arrangement as to the expense.—The whole matter is left to the caprice of the managers of an irresponsible corporation.

Another objection is founded upon the recent action of the inhabitants of said city in relation to the bill authorizing the creation of a debt for the purpose of supplying the city with water. At an election lately held to obtain an expression of the opinions of the citizens on that subject, it was decided by a large majority against making any further increase of the city debt. This evidence of the wishes of the people should have its due weight with the Legislature.

These views are presented for the consideration of the Senate, and are deemed by me sufficient grounds for withholding my signature to the bill.

(Signed)

GEO. F. FORT.

Which was read, and,

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Message and bill accompanying it, was referred to the Committee on Corporations.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has been ready to receive the Senate, to witness an exhibition of the Blind, and await their attendance.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Senate then proceeded in a body to the House of Assembly.

And after some time spent in witnessing the exhibition, the Senate again came to order.

Mr. Alexander presented the remonstrance of Ogdert Mc Hetfield and others, inhabitants of the township of Plain.

field, in the county of Essex; remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State entitled,

An act to create the county of Union,

Also, the remonstrance of Joseph S. Darbey and others, inhabitants of the township of Westfield, in said county, upon the same subject.

Also, the remonstrance of Frederic Lee, and others, inhabitants as aforesaid; upon the same subject.

Which were ordered to lie on the table without reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company,"

Was taken up, read a second time; considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the heating the State Prison with Steam;

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read, considered, and

On motion of Mr. Mulford, the same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

An act to exempt from sale on Execution, the Homestead of a Householder having a family,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Mulford,
The Senate then adjourned.

FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Congar presented the remonstrance of Charles Money, and others, inhabitants of the township of Orange, remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature entitled,

An act to create the county of Union.

Also, the remonstrance of Daniel J. Hilbum, and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also, the remonstrance of Stephen D. Day, and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which were severally ordered to lie on the table without reading.

Mr. Alexander moved to reconsider the vote by which

The bill entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed the twenty-ninth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and three,

Was referred to the committee on Corporations.

Which motion was agreed to.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Newark Orphan Asylum Association."

Also,

An act to extend the charter of the Cumberland Bank at Bridgeton.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Perseverence Fire Company, of Camden.

Also,

An act to authorize David Colson and Josiah P. Colson, Administrators of Benjamin Colson, deceased, to sell and convey certain real estate in the county of Gloucester.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of Societies for the protection of property," approved March thirteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate severally entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," passed March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-five,

Also,

An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Rail Road and Transportation Companies, to subscribe a part of the capital stock of the Freehold and Jamesburgh Agricultural Rail Road Company,

With sundry amendments,

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has agreed to the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill entitled,

An act to prevent Swine from running at large in this State,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

And,

That the House of Assembly has disagreed to the Bills and Joint resolutions from the Senate entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of New Brunswick," approved February twenty, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Also,

Joint Resolution authorizing the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Belvidere and Delaware Railroad Company,

And have directed the same to be returned to the Senate.

Mr. Hopper, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson and Hackensack Railroad Company," approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of Societies for the protection of property," approved March thirteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

And also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize David Colson and Josiah P. Colson, Administrators of Benjamin Colson, deceased, to sell and convey certain real estate in the county of Gloucester,

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to extend the charter of the Cumberland Bank at Bridgeton,

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Newark Orphan Asylum Association,"

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Perseverence Fire Company, No. 1, of Camden,

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Alexander moved that the bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and three,

Which had been returned to the Senate, accompanied with a veto message, by the Governor of the State,

Be now taken up, and put upon its final passage, according to the provisions of the Constitution of the State.

Said bill was then taken up and put upon its final passage.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill as returned by the Governor with his objections, pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Mulford, and Wallace—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite and Sitgreaves—10.

So said bill was disagreed to.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has adopted the following concurrent Resolutions:

WHEREAS, A communication has been received from the select and Common Councils of the city of Philadelphia, proposing to hold a Convention of Delegates, of the thirteen States of seventeen hundred and seventy-six, on the fourth day of July next, in the Hall where the Declaration of Independence was made, for the purpose of considering the expediency of erecting in the Grove belonging to said Hall, "One or more" Monuments, commemorative respectfully of the men and fathers to that Declaration. Therefore,
Resolved, (if the Senate concur,) That two delegates to said proposed Convention, be chosen by this Legislature, in convention of both branches.

Also,

Resolved, (Senate concurring,) That the Legislature adjourn sine die, on Friday, the nineteenth inst.

I am also further instructed to inform the Senate, that the House of Assembly has adopted the following Resolution:

Resolved, That the Clerk be immediately despatched to request of the Senate to return to the House of Assembly, the Joint Resolution entitled,

Joint Resolution authorizing the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad Company, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Belvidere Delaware Railroad Company.

Mr. Alexander moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-third rule as prescribes that one day's notice shall be given of an intended motion for leave to introduce a bill or joint resolution, in order at this time to ask leave to introduce a bill.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Mr. Alexander then asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed the twenty-

ninth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and three,

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Sitgreaves moved that so much of the message from the House of Assembly as requested the Senate to return to the House of Assembly,

The joint resolution entitled,

Joint Resolution authorizing the Delaware, and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Railroad Company, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Belvidere Delaware Railroad Company;

Be now taken up,

Which motion was agreed to.

Said message was then taken up, read, and the request of the House of Assembly agreed to by the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said joint resolution to the House of Assembly, agreeably to request for their further action thereon.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Hackensack Railroad Company,
Reported the same with sundry amendments.

The same gentleman from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Essex and Hudson Ferry Company,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the

Proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February twenty-nine, eighteen hundred and three,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weccacoë Fire Company, No. 2., of Camden,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The following resolution from the House of Assembly,

Resolved, (Senate concurring,) That the Legislature adjourn *sine die*, Friday the nineteenth instant,

Was taken up, read, and ordered to lie on the table.

The following concurrent resolution from the House of Assembly, viz:

WHEREAS, a communication has been received from the select and common councils of the city of Philadelphia, proposing to hold a Convention of Delegates of the thirteen States of 1776, on the fourth day of July next, in the Hall where the Declaration of Independence was made, for the purpose of considering the expediency of erecting in the grove belonging to said Hall, "one or more" monuments commemorative respectively of the men and parties to that declaration. Therefore,

Resolved, (if the Senate concur,) That the two delegates to said proposed Convention, be chosen by this Legislature, in convention of both branches.

Was taken up, read, considered and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in said preamble and concurrent resolution.

On motion of Mr. Potts,

The Secretary was directed to proceed and call the Senate,

When the following Senators answered to their names :

PRESENT.—Messrs. Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Zabriskie—10.

ABSENT.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Hopper, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves and Wallace—10.

There being no quorum present,

On motion of Mr. Canfield,

The assistant Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched for absent Senators, and, after a short absence, a quorum having been obtained, the Senate proceeded to business.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight,

Also,

The bill entitled;

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the city of Camden," approved March fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Bridgeton Deerfield Turnpike Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Woodbury and Camden Turnpike Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Rail Road and Transportation Companies, to subscribe a part of the capital stock of the Freehold and Jamesburgh Agricultural Rail Road Company.

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a final reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Hackensack Rail Road Company,

Was taken up and read, considered, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Hopper, the same was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," passed March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-five,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a final reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled an act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act for relief of James Sailor,

And also,

The amendments made in the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to prevent the importation of Paupers and Vagrants into the counties of Burlington, Passaic, Camden, Gloucester, Morris, and Mercer,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to divide the township of North Bergen, in the county of Hudson, and to establish a new township in said county, to be called the township of Hoboken,"

Was taken up, read and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Bleecker,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize David Colson and Joseph P. Colson, Administrators of Benjamin Colson, deceased, to sell and convey certain real estate in the county of Gloucester,

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of Societies for the protection of property," approved March thirteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same Committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

And also,

With a motion that the bill be re-printed for the use of the Senate.

Which motion was agreed to.

The same gentleman gave notice that he would, on to-morrow or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the court of Errors and Appeals," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act for the relief of James Sailer,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Peterson and Hackensack Rail Road Company," approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Canfield, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—8.

So said bill was disagreed to.

Mr. Hopper from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize a contract for heating the State Prison with steam.

Also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad Company, to subscribe a part of the capital stock of the Freehold and Jamgsburgh Agricultural Railroad Company.

And also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery,"

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to prevent the importation of Paupers and Vagrants into the counties of Burlington, Passaic, Camden, Gloucester, Morris, and Mercer,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Hopper—1

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize a contract for heating the State Prison with Steam,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS — None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled an act respecting the Court of Chancery.

Said bill was then taken up, and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the relief of the surviving widows of such deceased officers and soldiers of the revolutionary war as in their lifetime, and up to the time of their death, were pensioned by the legislature of this state, and for whose surviving widows no provision by way of pension hath been made by the legislature of this state,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Congar, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriekie—13.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

Mr. Davis moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies, to subscribe a part of the capital stock of the Freehold and Jamesburgh Agricultural Railroad Company.

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Congar, Greer, and Satterthwaite—4.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

A sealed message marked "*nominations*," having been received from the Governor, by the hands of Isaac W. Mickle, Esq., his Private Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Senate went into executive session,

And after some time spent therein, the Senate again came to order.

Mr. Alexander moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put

Upon its second reading at this time,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and three,

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report :

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report,

That they presented to the Governor for his approval, March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-two,

No. 64. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

No. 83. Supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the Practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

No. 85. An act for the purchase of Stephens' Historical Index, of New Jersey.

No. 99. An act to set off a part of the township of Hohokus, in the county of Bergen, and to annex the same to the township of Washington, in said county of Bergen.

No. 110. A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Justices of the Peace and Courts of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

No. 114. A further supplement to an act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

No. 25. An act to exempt from sale on Execution, the Homestead of a Householder having a family.

No. 8: A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight.

No. 65. A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Camden," approved March fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,
Chairman of Committee of Senate.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Which had been previously postponed, was again taken up, read, and considered, and while under consideration,

Mr. Fithian moved to further postpone the same for the present.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—8.

So said motion to postpone said bill for the present, was agreed to.

Mr. Fithian offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it adjourn to meet again on Monday next, at three o'clock, in the afternoon.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie.—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Edmunds, Greer, and Mulford—5.

So said resolution to adjourn over until Monday, was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,
The Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, MARCH 15, 1852.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

The Secretary proceeded, under the direction of the President, to call the Senate,

When the following Senators answered to their names :

PRESENT.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, and Zabriskie—8.

ABSENT.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Craig, Davis, Fithian, Hopper, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves and Wallace—10.

No quorum being present,

On motion of Mr. Alexander,
The Senate then adjourned.

TUESDAY, MARCH 16, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Zabriskie presented the memorial of S. M. Jessup and others, inhabitants and owners of land in Hoboken, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to authorize the collecting of taxes assessed for the paving, curbing, &c., of said place.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Alexander, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the court of Errors and Appeals," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Mulford, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Newark Orphan Asylum Association,"

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to extend the charter of the Cumberland Bank at Bridgeton,

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Perseverence Fire Company, No. 1, of Camden,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been re-committed

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson."

Reported the same with sundry amendments.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to divide the township of North Bergen, in the county of Hudson, and to establish in said county a new township, to be called the township of Hoboken."

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriske—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill entitled,

An act defining the proceedings of Courts, in cases of erroneous taxation,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Salem and Woodstown Turnpike Company,

Also,

An act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Plank Road Company,

Also,

An act to incorporate the Gloucester County Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly had re-considered the Joint Resolution entitled,

Joint Resolution authorizing the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Belvidere and Delaware Railroad Company,

Which was returned to the House at its request and has passed the same, as previously amended by the House of Assembly.

And that the House of Assembly has recessed from the amendments made to

The bill from the Senate entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the Poor," approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six:

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Rail Road Company;

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act for the settlement and relief of the Poor," approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Joint Resolution entitled,

Joint Resolution authorizing the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad Company, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Belvidere Delaware Railroad Company,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act giving the consent of New Jersey to the establishment of a Marine Hospital by the State of New York, at Sandy Hook,

Was taken up, and

On motion of Mr. Davis, the same was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Alexander moved that the amendments made by the Committee on the Judiciary to

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize the formation of Railroad Companies, and the construction of Railroads,

Be printed for the use of the Senate.

Which motion was agreed to.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Newark Orphan Asylum Association,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the City of Trenton," passed March seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize David Colson and Josiah P. Colson, Administrators of Benjamin Colson, deceased, to sell and convey certain real estate in the county of Gloucester,

Was taken up and read a second time, and the first and only section disagreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

- Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Brunswick Savings Institution," approved March fifteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Gloucester County Mutual Fire Insurance Company,

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Plank Road Company,

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Salem and Woodstown Turnpike Company,

Were severally taken up, read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Bleecker;
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery,"

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Rail Road and Transportation Companies, to subscribe a part of the capital stock of the Freehold and Jamesburgh Agricultural Rail Road Company,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Sitgreaves presented the petition of Sarah Parry and others, females over 14 years of age, and inhabitants of the county of Burlington, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors, except for medical and artistical purposes, is absolutely necessary for the public good.

Also, the petition of Alfred Woodward and others inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which were read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the court of Errors and Appeals," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Gloucester County Fire Insurance Company,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed the twenty-ninth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and three,

And also,

The re-engrossed joint resolution, entitled,

Joint Resolution, authorizing the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Belvidere Delaware Railroad Company,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February twenty-nine, eighteen hundred and three,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sattarthaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them

that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill entitled,

An act for the better regulation of the use of wharves in Jersey City,

Was taken up, and,

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie, the same was postponed until the next session of the Legislature.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, and further considered, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to repeal part of an act entitled, "A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Newark," approved February fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up, and,

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The further consideration thereof was postponed for the present.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read, considered by sections, and the first section thereof, as follows:

1. BE IT ENACTED, *By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That a poll tax of fifty cents for township and county purposes shall be assessed upon every white male inhabitant of this State, of the age of twenty-one years and upwards.

Mr. Potts moved to strike out the word "white" in the third line after the word "every," and before the word "male."

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Edmunds, Fithian, Potts, and Wallace—4.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—14.

So said motion to amend by striking out, was not agreed to.

Upon further consideration of the same section,

Mr Zabriskie moved to amend the same, by inserting in the second line after the word "purposes" and before the word "shall," the words "and fifty-cents for school purposes."

The yeas and nays being demanded upon thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Edmunds Fithian, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabiskie—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) and Mulford—8.

So said motion to insert and amend, was agreed to.

The third section of said bill being under consideration, was read as follows:

§. *And be it enacted*, That the following persons and property shall be exempt from taxation, viz:

I. The property of the United States and of the State of New Jersey, and of all the counties, townships, cities, and boroughs in said state.

II. All colleges, academies, or seminaries of learning, public libraries, school houses, and all buildings erected and used for religious worship, the lands whereupon the same are erected, the furniture thereof, and the personal property used therein; pews in churches, grave yards, not exceeding ten acres of ground, and all buildings erected and used exclusively for charitable purposes, with the lands on which they are erected and the furniture used therein; also

the engines and apparatus of any individual or company used for extinguishing fires:

III. The polls of all revolutionary soldiers.

IV. So much of the property of incorporated companies, represented by the capital stock thereof, as by virtue of this act is taxed in the hands of the stockholders; *provided*, that nothing in this act, or the acts to which this is a supplement, shall be construed to affect in any way the tax required to be paid by banking or other incorporated companies, upon the amount of their capital stock.

V. The polls of persons who, by reason of age, infirmity, or poverty, are (in the judgment of the commissioners of appeal in cases of taxation) unable to pay taxes.

Mr. Congar moved to amend the same, by inserting at the end of the section the words "goods and chattles, not exceeding two hundred dollars in value, as now exempt by law from execution on civil process."

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Congar, and Greer—2.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, R. S. Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—15.

So said motion to insert and amend, was not agreed to.

The fourth and remaining sections of said bill, were read and considered, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Canfield, the same was postponed for the present.

Mr. Sitgreaves moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put

Upon its final passage at this time,

The joint resolution entitled,

Joint Resolution authorizing the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation

Companies, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Belvidere Delaware Railroad Company,

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said joint resolution was then taken up, and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed joint resolution pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleeker, Canfield, Congar, Fithian, Greer, and Satterthwaite—6.

Ordered, That the President sign said joint resolution, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to said joint resolution, and has ordered said joint resolution to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

The joint resolution entitled,

Joint Resolution authorizing the Delaware and Belgian Canal, and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Belvidere and Delaware Railroad Company,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to extend the charter of the Cumberland Bank at Bridgeton,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled;

An act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Plank Road Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, March 16, 1852. }

To the Senate, and

General Assembly:

I transmit herewith a communication from Mr. Alexander Vattermere, dated at Paris, on the fourteenth ult., on the subject of International Literary Exchanges.

It is accompanied with documentary testimonials of the practical operations of the system on the other side of the Atlantic. It also conveys the intelligence that he is ready to forward for our State Library, more than two hundred volumes of works on various subjects, which he has collected, the moment he is informed "that the tokens of paternal sympathy will be received by the Legislature with feelings corresponding to those which prompted them."

GEO. F. FORT.

Afŕeuce Centrate,

Du Systeme,

D'Exchange International,

56 Rue De Clichy,

PARIS, February 14, 1852.

To his Excellency,

George F. Fort,

Governor of New Jersey:

SIR :—I have the honor of addressing to your Excellency, a copy of the appendix of my report to the Committee

on the Library of Congress, a perusal of which will give you an idea of the good will felt on this side of the Atlantic, for the system of International Literary Exchanges, as well as of the gratification with which the donation from America (among which were the books and documents intrusted to me by the Legislature and Executive of New Jersey, in eighteen hundred and fifty,) were received. The readiness of the Executive, learned Societies and private individuals of France, to offer to the United States the best productions of French genius, prove that, whatever may be the political form of her government, the fraternal feelings of my beloved country for America, will never change.

I hope that your Excellency has received the works on Agriculture, Science, &c., I had the honor of addressing you from Washington, and New York a few days before leaving America's hospitable shores. Since my return, I have not lost sight of New Jersey. For the recollection of the many good friends I have there, and their kindness and hospitality towards me, is deeply engraved on my heart.— I have now in my office a number of valuable works destined to your State, and presented by my country, that is well acquainted with the honorable reception made to me on my fond visit to your State. The resolutions of eighteen hundred and forty-eight, as well as the following documents, emanating from the Senate in eighteen hundred and forty-nine, were published and widely circulated at the time.— And as these are among the most gratifying documents in behalf of the system, so honorable to your State, and so flattering to myself, I beg leave to reproduce them here.

NEW JERSEY.

The committee on Education of this State, on the twenty-first of January, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, submitted a report, in which they dwell with great force upon the moral advantage of the plan, and conclude in the following words:

“The Exchanges are calculated to produce a two fold benefit. On the one hand, they will impart and extend a knowledge of our country, where it is now comparatively unknown, and on the other hand, excite an increase in our land, and among our own population, a spirit of inquiry and desire of more perfect information as to what other nations

are accomplishing in the baned walks of science, literature, and art, which may bring forth the good fruits of wholesome emulation and amicable rivalry.

Entertaining these views, your Committee recommend for adoption the following resolution :

Resolved, By the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, (Senate concurring,) That the Secretary of State be directed to present to M. Vattemere, and through him to the Chamber of Deputies, and the Minister of Commerce and Agriculture of France, the thanks of the Legislature of New Jersey, for the valuable present of books made by them to this State, and, as a slight return for the same, that M. Vattemere be presented with copies of our State documents and laws, together with such other books which may throw light upon the history and resources of our State, as your Committee shall select from the Library of the State, to be distributed by him in such manner as he may think best calculated to effect the object of his important enterprise."

The Joint Resolutions adopted by the Legislature, are as follows :

Joint resolutions relative to M. A. Vattemere's System International, Literary, and Scientific Exchange, and to provide for the support of an agency at Paris, in France.

1. *Be it Resolved, by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the sum of three hundred dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated, to defray the expense of an agency in the city of Paris, in France, for the purpose of receiving and transmitting such works as may be made the subject of International Exchanges.*

2. *And be it Resolved, That the Governor of this State be, and is hereby authorized, to appoint some suitable person as agent for the State of New Jersey, at the city of Paris, in France.*

3. *And be it Resolved, That the said sum of three hundred be transmitted by the Secretary of the State, whenever officially informed that such agency has been duly established; and that the said agent be requested to report semi-annually, to the Governor of this State, of all his transactions and proceedings relative thereto."*

2. STATE OF NEW JERSEY :

Resolved by the Senate, (House of Assembly concurring,) That the thanks of the Legislature are due, and are hereby tendered to M. Alexander Vattermere, for the enlightened and benevolent interest evinced by him in promoting the noble objects to which his life is devoted; with an exalted and generous enthusiasm.

Resolved, That we desire in this official and public manner, to express our obligations to M. Vattermere and our just appreciation of his original and praiseworthy plan of international exchanges through which, it is confidently believed, incalculable additions will be made to the stock of human knowledge, of peace and national amity promoted, and as honorable rivalry excited among brotherhood of nations, suggestive of noble plans for the amelioration of the whole human family.

Resolved, That M. Vattermere is hereby respectfully and officially invited to address the members of the Legislature, and the citizens of Trenton, this evening, in the Assembly Chamber, in elucidation of his benevolent plan.

[Signed.]

EPHRAIM MARSH,
Pres. of the Senate.

E. W. WHEPLEY,
Speaker of the House of Assembly.

3. STATE OF NEW JERSEY :

TRENTON, February 14, 1849.

To-Mons. Alexander Vattermere :

SIR :—We, the undersigned, members of the Senate of New Jersey, avail ourselves of the occasion now presented, to express to you the high appreciation entertained by this body, of the benevolent and illustrious mission which has brought you to our shores. In common with our fellow citizens throughout the length and breadth of our Republic, we hail the introduction of the enlightened system of international exchanges among us as an earnest of the universal diffusion of light, liberty, and a noble philanthropy. Every nation honored by your visit, will owe a debt of gratitude to France, which slight memorials cannot discharge, for origina-

ting through you, so perfect a system for uniting the distant portions of the globe in the hands of a glorious brotherhood. Allow us to present to you our acknowledgments for your kind interest in the comparatively unimportant affairs of our little State, and to express our lively interest in your future welfare and happiness, wherever duty calls you, our best wishes for your health and prosperity will accompany you.

With testimonials of profound respect and esteem, we are your friends, &c.

[Signed,] Ephraim Marsh, John Connelley, T. H. Richards, Chas. S. Olden, Adam Lee, James S. Smith, Stephen A. Garrison, Charles Reeves, Asa Whitehead, John Gill, Lewis M. Walker, Isaac T. Lanning, John Summerill, Jr., N. Smith, John A. Morford, John W. Craig, Martin J. Ryerson.

Such honorable and encouraging testimonials were sufficient to stimulate my determination of serving with ardent devotion, a State of which I am the honored agent. The works I have collected, amounting to more than two hundred volumes, will be forwarded the moment you will have been kind enough to inform me that these tokens of paternal sympathy will be received by the Legislature with feelings corresponding to those which prompted them.

Hoping, sir, that this letter will find the General Assembly and the Executive in the same liberal and kind disposition, as those felt in eighteen hundred and forty-eight and eighteen hundred and forty-nine, in behalf of this cause of intellectual and peaceful Union of nations.

I have the honor to be, with great respect, Sir,

Your Excellency's

Very humble and devoted servant,

ALEXANDER VATTMERE.

Which with the accompanying documents, were read and ordered to be referred to the Committee on the Library.

On motion of Mr. Davis,

The Senate then adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1852

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander presented the remonstrance of Wm. H. Brant and others, inhabitants of Belville, remonstrating against the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to authorize the building of any more bridges over the Passaic River.

Which was read, and ordered to be referred to the committee on Corporations.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Newark and Bloomfield Railroad Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Williamstown and Good Intent Turnpike Company.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Glasboro' and Carpenter's Landing Turnpike Company," passed February four, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Moorestown Turnpike Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Shiffler Hose Company, Number 1, of Camden.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Upper Pittsgrove and Pittsgrove Turnpike Company.

Also,

Joint Resolution, in relation to the Elizabethtown and Somerville Railroad Company.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate entitled,

An act authorizing the construction of a Bridge from the east land to Jonkin's Island, in the Delaware River,

Without amendment.

And,

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to make taxes a lien on real estate, in the county of Passaic, and to authorize the sale of the same for the payment thereof,

Also,

A further supplement to the "Act to incorporate the City of Trenton," passed the seventh of March, eighteen hundred and thirty seven,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report:

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report,

That they presented to the Governor for his approval, March sixteenth,

No. 21. An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company.

No. 52. A supplement to an act entitled, "An act for the settlement and relief of the Poor," approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

No. 17. A supplement to the act entitled an act respecting the Court of Chancery.

No. 98. An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal,

and Camden and Amboy Rail Road and Transportation Companies, to subscribe a part of the capital stock of the Freehold and Jamesburgh Agricultural Rail Road Company.

Joint Resolution, No. 6,

Joint Resolution authorizing the Delaware and Paritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad Company, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Belvidere Delaware Railroad Company.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,

Chairman of Committee of Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Upper Pittsgrove and Pittsgrove Turnpike Company,

Also,

An act to incorporate the Williamstown and Good Intent Turnpike Company,

Also,

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Moorestown Turnpike Company,

Also,

An act to incorporate the Newark and Bloomfield Rail Road Company,

Also,

An act to incorporate the Shiffler's Hose Company, No. 1, of Camden,

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Glasboro' and Carpenter's Landing Turnpike Company," passed February fourth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Also,

Joint Resolution in relation to the Elizabethtown and Somerville Rail Road Company,

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Princeton Bank," passed February twenty-second, eighteen hundred and thirty-four,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie.—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleeker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Greer, Hopper, Mulford Potts, and Wallace—9.

Said engrossed bill was disagreed to.

The bill entitled,

An act authorizing the construction of a Bridge from the east land to Jonkin's Island, in the Delaware River,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Perseverence Fire Company, No. 1, of Camden,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleeker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—Messrs. Davis—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Plank Road Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

Mr. Potts moved to re-consider the vote by which the engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Princeton Bank," passed February twenty-second, eighteen hundred and thirty-four,

Was lost on its final passage,

In order to put said bill again upon its third reading.

Which motion was agreed to.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Salem and Woodstown Turnpike Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be re-printed and engrossed.

Mr. Sitgreaves moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-third rule as prescribes that one day's notice shall be given of an intended motion for leave to introduce a bill or joint resolution, in order at this time to ask leave to introduce a bill.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Mr. Sitgreaves then asked and obtained leave to introduce,

A bill entitled,

An act to prevent fraudulent petitions and remonstrances to the Legislature.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Upper Pittsgrove and Pittsgrove Turnpike Company,

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Moorestown Turnpike Company,

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Glasboro' and Carpenter's Landing Turnpike Company," passed February four, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Also,

An act to incorporate the Shiffler Hose Company, Number 1, of Camden,

Also,

Joint Resolution, in relation to the Elizabethtown and Somerville Railroad Company,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Hackensack Rail Road Company,

Was taken up, and

Mr. Zabriskie moved to postpone said bill until the next session of the Legislature.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts,

Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabris-
kie—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Canfield—1.

So said motion to postpone until the next session of the
Legislature, was agreed to.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the
New Brunswick Savings Institution," approved March eight-
teenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections,
amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have
a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Essex and Hudson Ferry Com-
pany,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections,
amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and
have a third reading.

Mr. Alexander moved a suspension of so much of the twen-
ty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or
joint resolution be on different days, in order to put

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the
Princeton Bank," passed February twenty-second, eighteen
hundred and thirty-four,"

Which had been re-considered after being lost on its final
passage,

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was
suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Davis, Ed-

MUNDS, FITHIAN, MANNERS, (Pres.) POTTS, ROGERS, SATTERTHWAITE, SITGREAVES, WALLACE, and ZABRISKIE—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Greer, Hopper, and Mulford—6.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Bridgeton and Deerfield Turnpike Company.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Woodbury and Camden Turnpike Company.

Also,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Trenton," passed March seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven.

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Potts,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to extend the charter of the Cumberland Bank at Bridgeton,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Greer, Hopper, and Mulford—6.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Senate went into executive session,

And after some time spent therein, the Senate again came to order.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the court of Errors and Appeals," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of Societies for the protection of property," approved March thirteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up, read and considered, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Rogers, the same was postponed for the present.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, March 17, 1852. }

Mr. President :—I have this day approved and signed the following bills originating in your House :

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Camden," approved March fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate the Practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Shrewsbury Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight.

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act establishing a Militia System," approved April fifteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Justices of the Peace, and Courts of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

An act to exempt from sale on execution the Homestead of a Householder having a family.

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the Courts of Law," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

An act to set off a part of the township of Hohokus, in the county of Bergen, and to annex the same to the township of Washington, in said county of Bergen.

An act for the purchase of Stephens' Historical Index, of New Jersey.

GEO. F. FORT.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Gloucester County Mutual Fire Insurance Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Shifflet's Hose Company, No. 1, of Camden,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Upper Pittsgrove and Pittsgrove
Turnpike Company,

Was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections,
and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Williamstown and Good Intent
Turnpike Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections,
amended and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to
be engrossed and the bill to have a third reading.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their
Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has
passed,

The bills severally entitled,
An act to incorporate the Westville and Glasboro' Turnpike
Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Franklin Hall Association, of
Crosswicks, New Jersey.

Also,

An act to confirm the title of John B. Keeler, in certain
lands in the county of Burlington.

Also,

An act to change the name of R. Willis Baker, of the county
of Warren.

Also,

An act making appropriations to the New Jersey Coloniza-
tion Society.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the
Senate severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Vincentown and Mount Holly
Turnpike Company.

Also,

A Supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Pelvidere and Water Gap Railroad Company," approved February twenty one, eighteen hundred and forty-one.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Salem County Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty.

Also,

An act to authorize the administrators of George C. Rumsey of the county of Salem, to deliver certain Deeds.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Erina Benevolent Association, of the city of Newark.

Also,

An act to confirm the title of Horatio T. Wells, to certain lands in Camden.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Jersey City Gas Light Company."

Also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Salem county," passed March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Monmouth County Life and Health Insurance Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Oldman's Creek Steam Navigation Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Millville and Malaga Road Company.

Also,

An act relative to freight and transit duties on rail roads in this State.

Without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to confirm the title of John B. Keeler, to certain lands in the county of Burlington,

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to change the name of R. Willis Baker, of the county of Warren,

Were severally taken up, read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act making appropriations to the New Jersey Colonization Society,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Franklin Hall Association of Crosswicks, New Jersey,

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Westville and Glasborough Turnpike Company,

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Mulford moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-third rule, as prescribes that one day's notice shall be given of an intended motion for leave to introduce a bill or joint resolution, in order at this time to ask leave to introduce,

Joint Resolution entitled,

Joint Resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of New Jersey.

* Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Mr. Mulford then asked and obtained leave to introduce said Joint Resolution.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Moorestown Turnpike Company,

Was taken up and read a second time, considered, and while under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Potts,
The Senate then adjourned.

THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere and Water Gap Railroad Company," approved February twenty-one, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act relative to freight and transit duties on Rail Roads in this State,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Monmouth County Life and Health Insurance Company,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on

Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The Joint Resolution entitled,

Joint Resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of New Jersey,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same Committee, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to confirm the title of John B. Keeler, to certain lands in the county of Burlington,

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to change the name of R. Willis Baker, of the county of Warren,

Reported the same without amendment.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act to prevent fraudulent petitions and remonstrances to the Legislature,

Reported the same, and against further action thereon, and,

On motion of the same gentleman, the said bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Westville and Glasborough Turnpike Company,

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
 An act to incorporate the Franklin Hall Association of Cross-
 wicks, New Jersey,
 Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Congar presented the petition of John Wood and others, inhabitants of the township of Rahway, in the county of Essex, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to create a new county from the seven southern townships of the county of Essex, to be called the county of Union.

Also, the petition of William S. Hagen and others, inhabitants of Elizabeth, in said county, upon the same subject.

Also, the petition of E. A. Marsh and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also, the petition of Robert N. Clark and others, inhabitants of Rahway, in said county, upon the same subject.

Also, the petition of Hiram Miller and others, inhabitants of the township of Westfield, upon the same subject.

Also, the petition of Albert Noes and others, inhabitants of Elizabeth, upon the same subject.

Also, the petition of M. M. Woodruff and others, upon the same subject.

Also, the petition of William V. Thompson and others, inhabitants of said county, upon the same subject.

Also, the petition of William Smith and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also, the petition of Peter D. Valentine and others, inhabitants of New Providence, in said county, upon the same subject.

Also, the petition of John Stiles and others, inhabitants of the township of Elizabeth, in said county, upon the same subject.

Also, the petition of Victor H. Reeve and others, inhabitants of the township of Springfield, upon the same subject.

Also, the petition of David E. Woodruff and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Also, the petition of Moses Williams and others, inhabitants as aforesaid, upon the same subject.

Which were severally ordered to lie on the table without reading.

Mr. Canfield, from the joint committee on so much of that part of the Governor's Message which relates to the Lunatic Asylum, presented the following report :

[For Report, see Appendix.]

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

The same gentleman, from the same Committee, reported—

A bill entitled,

An act relative to the Lunatic Asylum.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Rogers, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act making appropriations to the New Jersey Colonization Society,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Hopper from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act defining the proceedings of Courts, in cases of erroneous taxation,

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Brunswick Savings Institution," approved March eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

And also,

The amendments made in the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled;

An act to incorporate the Salem and Woodstown Turnpike Company,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The engrossed bill entitled,
An act to incorporate the Bridgeton and Deerfield Turnpike
Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk,
Gongar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners,
(Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves,
and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill; and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the
Woodbury and Camden Turnpike Company,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk,
Gongar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper,
Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sattarthwaite,
Sitgreaves, and Wallace—18.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incor-

porate the City of Trenton," passed March seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative; as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act defining the proceedings of Courts in cases of erroneous taxation,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—19.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Brunswick Saving Institution," approved March eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Wallace—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—16.

NAYS.—Messrs. Fithian, and Satterthwaite—2.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Salem and Woodstown Turnpike Company,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to create the county of Union,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass ?

It was decided in the negative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Rogers, and Satterthwaite—6.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Craig, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Shiffler's Hose Company, No. 1, of Camden,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass ?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper,

Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Newark Orphan Asylum Association,"

Was taken up, and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Erina Benevolent Association, of the city of Newark,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Vincentown and Mount Holly Turnpike Company,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the administrators of George C. Rutsey of the county of Salem, to deliver certain Deeds,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Sitgreaves offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That three hundred copies of the Report of the Secretary of State, relating to the registry and return of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, be furnished for the use of the Senate.

Which was read, and agreed to.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom, had been referred,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Newark and Bloomfield Railroad Company,

Reported the same without amendment, for the action of the Senate,

At the same time stating that there was no petition or other evidence before them, of the justness of said application.

Mr. Craig moved that the joint-resolution from the House of Assembly, as follows :

Resolved, (Senate concurring,) That the Legislature adjourn sine die, on Friday, the nineteenth instant,

Be now taken up.

Which motion was agreed to.

The same gentleman moved to strike out the words "Friday the nineteenth," in said resolution, and insert in lieu thereof, "Thursday, the twenty-fifth."

Which motion was agreed to.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Upper Pittsgrove and Pittsgrove Turnpike Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—16.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the court of Errors and Appeals," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Also,

The amendments made in the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Williamstown and Good Intent Turnpike Company,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the court of Errors and Appeals," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS:—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fishian, Mulford, Rogers, and Wallace—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Craig, Edmunds, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—10.

So said engrossed bill was disagreed to.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Glasboro' and Carpenter's Landing Turnpike Company," passed February four, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Franklin Hall Association, of Crosswicks, New Jersey.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Salem County Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to confirm the title of Horatio T. Wells, to certain lands in Camden,

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Jersey City Gas Light Company,"

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on passed bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to confirm the title of John B. Keeler, in certain lands in the county of Burlington,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to change the name of R. Willis Baker, of the county of Warren,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Mulford moved to re-consider the vote by which

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to create the county of Union,

Was lost on its final passage.

Which motion was agreed to, and said vote reconsidered accordingly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Moorestown Turnpike Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Essex and Hudson Ferry Company,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Craig, the concurrent Resolution from the House of Assembly, as amended by the Senate, to adjourn *sine die* on the twenty-fifth of March inst.,

Was again taken up.

Mr Alexander moved to amend the same by striking out "Thursday, the twenty-fifth inst.," and inserting "Friday, the twenty-sixth inst.," in lieu thereof.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Mulford, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Burk, Craig, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, and Wallace—9.

So said motion to strike out and amend, was not agreed to.

Mr. Canfield moved that the further consideration of said Resolution to adjourn *sine die*, be postponed.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS:—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Burk, Craig, Edmunds, Greer, Rogers, and Wallace—7.

So said motion to postpone the further consideration of said concurrent Resolution, was agreed to.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed,

The bills severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Hudson and Bergen Plank Road Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Pittstown and Bridgton Turnpike Company.

Also,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson Fire Association," passed November third, eighteen hundred and twenty-one.

Also,

An act for the discontinuance of the House of Refuge, and for the relief of the Contractors who furnished Labor and Materials for the erection of the same.

Also,

An act to extend the charter of the President, Directors, and Company, of the Farmers' Bank of New Jersey.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Port Elizabeth and Millville Turnpike Company.

Also,

An act to confirm a Deed of Conveyance from Lewis R. Marsh, one of the Executors of the last will and testament of Ralph Marsh, late of Rahway, Essex county, New Jersey, deceased, to James Moore, dated June fourth, eighteen hundred and forty seven.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Trenton Mutual Life and Fire Insurance Company."

Also,

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Point Steamboat Company.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden, Ellisburg, and Marlton Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Also,

Supplement to the act entitled, "An act for facilitating the

communication from Morristown, in the county of Morris, through Dover, Mount Pleasant, and from thence to Sparta, in the county of Sussex,

Without amendment.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate, severally entitled,

An supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and Philadelphia Steamboat Ferry Company," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and forty-eight.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Turnpike Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Medford and Tuckerton Turnpike Road Company,

With sundry amendments,

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill entitled,

An act to prevent the importation of Paupers and Vagrants into the counties of Burlington, Passaic, Camden, Gloucester, Morris, and Mercer,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Hudson and Bergen Plank Road Company.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Pittstown and Bridgeton Turnpike Company.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson Fire Association," passed November thirty, eighteen hundred and twenty-one.

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the discontinuance of the House of Refuge, and for the relief of the contractors who furnished labor and Materials for the erection of the same,

Was taken up, read a first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to extend the charter of the President, Directors, and Company of the Farmer's Bank of New Jersey.

Was taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Salem county," passed March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Oldman's Creek Steam Navigation Company.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Millville and Malaga Road Company,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on passed bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, March 18, 1852. }

To the Senate,

and General Assembly :

I submit herewith, a communication from the State Treasurer, enclosing the opinion of the Attorney General, in relation to the course some of the Banks have thought proper to pursue with respect to the payment of the specific annual tax, as required by law, of one-half of one per centum on their capital stock.

I fully concur in opinion with the Attorney General, as to the legal liability of the banks, and would recommend that the Legislature express an opinion as to the right of the State under the statutes which impose upon these Corporations, as well as direct the Treasurer and Attorney General to adopt summary measures to secure the interests of the State, which are thus put in jeopardy by the refusing Banks. I would also, suggest that an act be passed to prevent any future difficulty which may arise in regard to this matter.

GEO. F. FORT.

TREASURER'S OFFICE, }
Trenton, March 17th, 1852. }

His Excellency,

Geo. F. Fort,

Governor of New Jersey :

The "State Bank, at Newark, Farmer's Bank, at New Brunswick, Sussex Bank, Belvidere Bank, and Farmer's Bank,

at Wantage," having refused the payment of the tax of one-half of one per cent. on the amount of their capital stock, as required by law.

I thought proper to advise with Richard P. Thompson, Esq., Attorney General of this State, on the subject, and, in accordance with his advice, I herewith enclose to you his two several opinions in the matter, that you may take the subject into consideration, and make such suggestions to the Legislature as in your judgment shall seem best.

Very respectfully,
Your ob't serv't,

R. M. SMITH,
Treasurer.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
March 15, 1852. }

By the provisions of the General Tax Law, the President and Directors of every incorporated Bank in this State are required to pay into the Treasury of the State, on or before the first day of January, in every year, one-half of one per cent. upon the whole amount of capital stock actually subscribed and paid in." Rev. Stat., 1014, Sec. 45.

It is represented to me by the Treasurer, that it is insisted by these Banks that have increased their capital stock, and by those that have commenced operations during the close of the year eighteen hundred and fifty-one, that they are not bound to pay the above half per cent tax, for any more than a proportionable part of the year; that is, for such actual time as they used their capital prior to the first of January.

It may be conceded that there is some equity in this view taken by the Banks, and it may, perhaps, be urged with success before the Legislature; but I do not feel at liberty, as I find the law, to give it any other than a strict construction.

The act of eighteen hundred and forty-six is plain and direct, that on the first day of January, yearly, the Banks shall pay the one-half per cent on all their capital stock actually paid in; and the Legislature have by that act made no reservation or qualification, have provided for no deduction for the

fractional parts of the year, and it is therefore safe to infer that they intended none.

The act of eighteen hundred and fifty-one (General Banking Law, Sec. 39,) subjects all the Banks incorporated under its provisions "to all the duties, liabilities, taxes, &c., to which the incorporated Banks are liable;" here was another opportunity for the Legislature to make the provision contended for by the Banks, if they intended to do so, and yet nothing is said as to the fractions of a year, in the payment of this half per cent. It is to be paid yearly; its amount, the period of payment, the basis of the payment, on all "the capital stock paid in," are all fixed by clear and unqualified language.

I can know nothing of the intention of the Legislature, but by the language they have used, and I am not prepared to put such a construction on the act as is contended for. If I am wrong in the view I have taken, there is a remedy in the Judiciary. If I am right, relief can be sought at the hands of the Legislature. It is my opinion, and I advise the Treasurer, that the Banks are liable to pay the tax of one-half per cent on their capital stock paid in, without regard to the time when they commenced operations, and if the payment is not made within thirty days after the first day of January, yearly, it is his duty to proceed against the defaulting Banks in the mode plainly directed in Rev. Stat. 1014, Sec. 46.

R. P. THOMPSON,

Att'y. Gen. of N. J.

R. M. SMITH, Esq.,
Treasurer of N. J.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE,
March 15, 1852. }

By the act entitled "A supplement to the act concerning Taxes," approved March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one," the Legislature have exempted from taxation "so much of the property of incorporated companies represented by the capital stock thereof, as by virtue of this act is taxed in the hands of the stockholders."

It is represented to me that several of the Banks have refused to pay the annual tax of one-half per cent. on their capi-

tal stock paid in, imposed on all the Banks of this State, by the act of eighteen hundred and forty six, on the ground that the above exemption extends to them, and relieves the Banks entirely of the State tax. At first view, this would seem to be the meaning of the language used in the fourth paragraph of the fifth section of the act, but, after careful examination, I am satisfied that such is not its legal construction. I think that the act goes no further than to protect the corporation from the payment of the assessment made under that act for the county and township taxes, which were now, by virtue of that law, to be paid to the Stockholders.

Prior to the act of eighteen hundred and fifty-one, "Public Stocks, and stocks in Corporations," were not subject to taxation; by that law a vital change was made in the whole system of taxation, and "Public Stocks, and Stocks in Corporations," were expressly designated as objects of Taxation, to be paid by the holders thereof.

It was obviously proper and just then, that "the property of incorporated companies," which, by virtue of that act, was "taxed in the hands of the stockholders," should not be again taxed by that act, and made to pay a double tax for the same assessment; but the tax of one-half per cent. to be paid to the State yearly, I apprehend stands wholly unconnected with the act of eighteen hundred and fifty-one. That tax is imposed on all the Banks of this State, as a bonus, for the high and extraordinary privileges they derive from their charters. It is not assessed or collected as a tax—it is regulated and fixed to be paid at a given period,—of one uniform amount, and neither connected with, or to be controlled by, the ordinary laws regulating the assessment and collection of Taxes.

I cannot believe that the Legislature meant so seriously to affect the revenues of the State—they have not done so in terms, and I am not willing to construe the act in the mode contended for by the Banks referred to.

As this is a question deeply important, and affecting the interests of the State to a large extent, I would recommend to the Treasurer to lay the whole subject before the Executive, that he may communicate with the Legislature, and obtain their views, if deemed by him advisable.

R. P. THOMPSON.
Att'y Gen. N. J.

R. M. SMITH, Esq., }
Treasurer of N. J. }

Which, with the accompanying Documents, was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Canfield, from the committee on Finance, to whom was referred the Message of the Governor, and accompanying documents, in relation to the defaulting Banks of this State, presented the following report, and Documents attached.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the Message of His Excellency, the Governor, communicating to the Senate the opinion of the Attorney General, in reference to liability of several of the Banks of this State, which have refused to pay the annual tax imposed upon them by the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Be leave to Report,

That the "State Bank at Newark," "The Farmer's Bank at New Brunswick," "The Sussex Bank," "The Belvidere Bank," and the "Farmer's Bank at Wantage," being Banks of this State, operating under special charters, have refused to pay the tax of one-half of one per cent. upon their capital stock, due on the ——— day of January last.

The grounds upon which these banks claim to be exempt from the tax imposed by the act of eighteen hundred and forty-six, arise from an erroneous construction of the supplement to the act concerning taxes, passed March eighteen hundred and fifty-one. By the fifth section of that act, in the fourth clause, it is enacted, that "so much of the property of Incorporated Companies represented by the capital stock thereof, as by virtue of this act is taxed in the hands of stockholders." The language of the clause appears too plain to admit of doubt. The object plainly is to relieve from taxation an amount of property of the corporation equal to the valuation of the stock that might be taxed in the hands of its stockholders. The whole property of the corporation must necessarily be assessed and taxed at its actual value, liable to be reduced by deducting whatever the corporation could show had been taxed in the hands of the stockholders.

The difficulty seems to have arisen from assuming, that by the word "*property*," the Legislature meant the capital of the company. In common parlance the two words have meanings entirely distinct. The capital of the incorporated companies is not considered its property in a corporate sense. It is divi-

ded into shares called shares of stock, and is held in severally by the individuals who are called the stockholders. The capital stock is not the property of the corporation. The property of a corporation, or such in ordinary understanding of men, consists in such as they hold as a corporation—such as they can buy or sell, and such as may be sold under execution against them.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY :

The subscribers, counsel of the State Bank at Newark, being requested to examine and report their opinion as to the effect and operation of the law of last session, passed March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six, upon the said Banks,

Beg leave respectfully to state,

That by the general law of the State, the forty-fifth section of the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," passed April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six, a tax of one-half of one per cent. upon the capital stock subscribed and paid in, is required to be paid by the Banks of the State. This was the settled law, and was followed by the Banks. But by the act of the last session before stated, a new rule of taxation has been adopted, extending the effects of taxation to a new species of personal property; to money, choses in action, mortgages, public stocks, and stocks in corporations.

By the fifth section of the last act referred to, the persons and property exempted from taxation are enumerated, and among these under the fourth clause are the following:—"So much of the property of incorporated companies represented by the capital stock thereof, as by virtue of this act is taxed in the hands of stockholders. It appears to us that from the very language here used, that any Bank stock owned by persons residing in the State of New Jersey, and which is liable necessarily to be taxed in the hands of the owner, is discharged from the payment of the one-half of one per cent. tax under the former law.

This seems to us so natural a construction of the law, and upon so obvious a propriety in the Legislature not to tax the same species of property twice, that we think that it may well be doubted whether any Bank should volunteer the pay-

ment of the tax under the law of eighteen hundred and forty six, at all events until a judicial determination to that effect should be made. No Bank would be justified, in our opinions, in paying a tax so clearly exempted by law. Our advice, therefore, is to discriminate in the stock, and pay the tax of one-half of one per cent. on so much only as is owned by persons residing out of the State of New Jersey, and as cannot be taxed under the law of the last session of the Legislature.

Signed,

WM. PENNINGTON,
A. GIFFORD.

Newark, Dec. 24, 1851.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Essex and Hudson Ferry Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YAYS—Messrs Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite Sugreaves, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a final reading.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate

the Camden and Philadelphia Steamboat Ferry Company," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed and have a final reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize the formation of Railroad Companies, and the construction of Railroads,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the twenty-first section thereof, as follows :

21. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the applicants for the appointment of said freeholders to serve upon each of the said freeholders a copy of the order of the court appointing them, at least ten days prior to the time of meeting, and to publish the time and place of such meeting in every newspaper published in the counties through which the road is proposed to be run, at least ten days before said time of meeting.

And the report of the Committee, that the same be stricken out.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Fithian, Hopper, and Wallace—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rogers—1.

So said recommendation to strike out was agreed to.

The twenty-third section thereof, was read, as follows :

23. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the freeholders so appointed, or a majority of them to meet at the time and place so appointed to discharge the duties of their appointment as specified in said petition, and when so met they shall, being duly sworn or affirmed faithfully to discharge the duties of their appointment, proceed to hear the applicants for said road and the landholders or other persons objecting thereto; and the said freeholders, or a

majority of them so met, shall have power to adjourn to such times and places as they shall designate, and as shall be necessary to enable them to understand the merits of the said application; if the said freeholders or a majority of them be of the opinion that the proposed road will be of sufficient public utility to justify the taking of private property for the construction of the same, they shall so certify under their hands to the said supreme court, who shall order said proceedings and certificate recorded in the minutes of said court, if such proceedings and certificates are substantially in compliance with the provisions of this act; and that thereupon such company, when organized, may enter upon, take possession of, and use all such land, real estate and property as may be required for the construction and maintenance of their railroad, and the convenient accommodations appertaining to the same, making compensation in the manner hereinafter provided for all land, real estate and property thus taken possession of and used, except such as may be voluntarily given to or purchased at an agreed price by the said corporation; whenever the said corporation shall not have acquired by gift or purchase any land, real estate or property so required as aforesaid, or which may be affected by any operation connected with such construction and maintenance, the said corporation may present to the circuit court of the county where the said lands, real estate or property shall lie, a petition signed by its attorney or agent, describing with convenient accuracy and certainty, by map or otherwise, the lands, real estate or property so required to be taken or to be affected as aforesaid, setting forth the name and residence of each owner or other person interested therein as owner, tenant, lessee or encumbrancer, as far as known to such attorney or agent, or appearing of record, and praying the appointment of commissioners to ascertain the compensation to be made to such owners and persons interested; for the taking or injuriously affecting such land, real estate or property as aforesaid, the court shall have satisfactory evidence that notice of an intended application, and the time and place thereof, for the appointment of commissioners of appraisalment between said corporations and the owners and persons interested in such lands, real estate and property, had been given at least ten days previously to such owners personally, or to some person of suitable age, at their resi-

dence or on the premises, or by the publication thereof in a newspaper printed in the county in which such land, real estate or property may lie; such publication to be allowed only in respect to owners who shall appear by affidavit to have no residence in the county known to such agent or attorney, whereat such notice could be delivered as aforesaid; the court may adjourn the proceedings from time to time; shall direct any further notice thereof to be given that may seem proper; shall hear proofs and allegations of all parties interested touching the regularity of the proceedings, and shall, by an entry in its minutes, appoint five competent and disinterested persons commissioners to ascertain such compensation as aforesaid, specifying in such entry a time and place for the first meeting of such commissioners; the said commissioners, before entering upon the duties of their office, shall take the oath faithfully to discharge the duties of their appointment, and a true award to give in the case; any one of them may administer oaths to witnesses produced before them, and may adjourn and may hold meetings for that purpose; whenever they shall meet to hear proofs or allegations, unless by appointment of the court, or pursuant to adjournment, they shall cause reasonable previous notice of such meetings to be given to the said owner or parties interested, or their attorney or agent, and may each of them issue subpoenas and compel witnesses to appear and testify; they shall hear the proofs and allegations of the parties, and any three or more of them shall, after viewing the premises, without fear, favor or partiality, ascertain and certify the compensation proper to be made to the said owners and parties interested for the land, real estate and property so to be taken or injuriously affected as aforesaid, without any deduction or allowance on account of any real or supposed benefit or advantage which such owners or parties interested may derive from the construction of such road; and may, in their discretion, assess a separate reasonable sum in favor of such owners and parties interested, or of any person appointed by the court to appear as attorney for them, for costs, expenses and reasonable counsel fees; they, or a majority of them, shall make, subscribe and file the same with the clerk of the county in which such lands, real estate, or property shall lie, a certificate of their said ascertainment and assessment, in which such land, real estate and property shall be described by map or

otherwise, with convenient accuracy and certainty; the court, upon such certificate and due proof that such compensation and separate sums, if any, be certified; have been paid by the parties entitled to the same, or have been deposited to the credit of such parties in some bank for that purpose approved by the court, shall make and cause to be entered in its minutes, a rule describing such lands, real estate, and property in manner aforesaid, such ascertainment of compensation, with the mode of making it, and such payment or deposit of the same compensation as aforesaid; a certified copy of which rule shall be recorded and indexed in the proper clerk's office, in like manner and with like effect as if it were a deed or conveyance from the said owners and parties interested to the said corporation; upon the entry of such rule the said corporation shall become entitled to use and occupy all lands, real estate and property described in said rule, as required to be taken as aforesaid, during the continuance of the corporation, by this or any subsequent act, and may take possession of, hold and use the same for the purposes of said road, and shall thereupon be discharged from all claims for damages by reason of any matter specified in said petition, certificate or rule of court, except such as may be determined by jury as hereinafter provided; if at any time after an attempted or actual ascertainment of compensation under this or any other act, or any purchase by, or donation to the said corporation, of any lands for the purposes aforesaid, it shall appear that the title thereby acquired to all or any part of such lands for the use of said road, or of said corporation, shall be adjudged defective, the said corporation may proceed anew to perfect such title, by procuring an ascertainment of the compensation proper to be made to any person or persons whose title, claim or interest in or lien upon such lands shall not have been compensated or extinguished according to law, and by making payment thereof in the manner hereinbefore provided, as near as may be; and at any stage of such new proceedings or of any proceedings under this act, the court may, by a rule in that behalf made, authorize the said corporation, if already in possession, to continue in the use or possession, and if not in possession, to take possession of and use such premises during the pendency and until the final conclusion of such proceedings, and may stay all actions or proceedings against such corporation on account thereof; *provided*, such corporation shall pay a sufficient sum into court, or give approved security to pay the compensation in that behalf when ascertained;

and in every case where possession shall be so authorized, it shall be lawful for the owner or owners to conduct the proceedings to a conclusion, if the same shall be delayed by the said company; the said commissioners shall be entitled to receive from said corporation their reasonable disbursement and a compensation not exceeding two dollars for each day actually employed by them in the discharge of their duties; such compensation and disbursements to be taxed and allowed by the court; if any commissioner so appointed shall die, be unable, or fail to serve, the court may appoint another in his place, on reasonable notice of the application, to be approved by the court; the said commissioners shall file their said certificate in the county where the lands to be affected may lie, within thirty days after the same is made and subscribed as aforesaid.

And while under consideration,

Mr. Congar moved to postpone the further consideration of said section and bill for the present.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Canfield, Congar, Fithian, Hopper, Potts, and Sitgreaves—6.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Rogers, Satterwaite, and Wallace—11.

So said motion to postpone, was not agreed to.

The remaining sections of said bill, was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

Mr. Potts moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Congar, Davis, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—6.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk,

Canfield, Craig, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, and Rogers
—10.

So said motion to adjourn was not agreed to.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a final reading.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report:

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report,

That they have this day presented to the Governor for his approval, March eighteenth,

No. 76.

An act to authorize the construction of a Bridge or Dam from the fast land to Jonkin's Island, in the Delaware River.

No. 43.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere and Water Gap Railroad Company," approved February twenty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

No. 67.

An act to incorporate the Monmouth County Life and Health Insurance Company.

No. 94.

An act relative to Freight and Transit Duties on Railroads in this State.

No. 47.

An act to incorporate the Vincentown and Mount Holly Turnpike Company.

No. 48.

An act to authorize the administrators of George C. Rumsey of the county of Salem, to deliver certain Deeds.

No. 52.

An act to incorporate the Erma Benevolent Association, of the city of Newark.

No. 44.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Salem County Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

No. 53.

An act to confirm the title of Horatio T. Wells, to certain lands in Camden.

No. 54.

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Jersey City Gas Light Company."

No. 74.

An act to incorporate the Millville and Malaga Road Company.

No. 68.

An act to incorporate the Oldman's Creek Steam Navigation Company.

No. 58.

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Salem County," approved March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,

Chairman of Committee of Senate.

On motion of the same Senator,

The Senate then adjourned.

FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Port Elizabeth and Millville Pumpike Company.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to confirm a Deed of Conveyance from Lewis R. Marsh, one of the Executors of the last will and testament of Ralph Marsh, late of Rahway, Essex county, New Jersey, deceased, to James Moore, dated June fourth, eighteen hundred and forty seven.

Also,

The bill entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled, "An act for facilitating the communication from Morristown in the county of Morris, through Dover, Mount Pleasant, and from thence to Sparta, in the county of Sussex,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Satterthwaite presented the Memorial of Hudson S. Ellis and others, inhabitants of the county of Burlington, remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State, entitled,

An act making appropriations to the New Jersey Colonization Society.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has considered the amendments made by the Senate to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the suppression of Loteries,"

And,

Has non-concurred in the first amendment, and has concurred in the second and third amendments, and I am directed to return the said bill to the Senate.

Mr. Canfield presented the memorial of Alexander C. Stark and others, inhabitants of the city of Paterson, remonstrating against the passage of any act of the Legislature of this State, appropriating any funds from the State Treasury, in behalf of the purposes of the New Jersey Colonization Society.

Which was ordered to lie on the table without reading.

Mr. Turk moved that the memorials of Sarah Smith Stafford, and Mary Montgomery, which had been ordered to lie on the table, be now taken up, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Which was agreed to, and said memorial referred accordingly.

Mr. Alexander presented the memorial of Joseph Walton and others, inhabitants of the county of Mercer, remonstrating against the passage of an act now before the Legislature of this State, entitled,

An act making appropriations to the New Jersey Colonization Society,

At the same time protesting against the sentiments embraced in said remonstrance.

Which was ordered to lie on the table without reading.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the discontinuance of the House of Refuge, and for the relief of the Contractors who furnished Labor and Materials for the erection of the same,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Pittstown and Bridgton Turnpike Company.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to extend the charter of the President, Directors, and Company, of the Farmers' Bank of New Jersey.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Hudson and Bergen Plank Road Company.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson Fire Association," passed November third, eighteen hundred and twenty-one,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Trenton Mutual Life and Fire Insurance Company."

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Point Steamboat Company.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden, Ellisburg, and Marlton Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the suppression of Lotteries,"

And the amendments made in the Senate thereto, and non-concurred to by the House of Assembly,

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

Was taken up.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate *recede* from the first amendment made thereto by the Senate?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Canfield, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Manners, (Res.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Burk, Congar, Craig, Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—6.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has *receded* from the first amendment made in the Senate to said bill.

Mr. Alexander moved that the usual number of copies of the report of the Committee on the Lunatic Asylum, be printed for the use of the Senate.

Which motion was agreed to.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Franklin Hall Association of Crosswicks, New Jersey,

Was taken up, and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar,

gar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Manners, (Pres) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS — Messrs. Greer—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Glasboro' and Carpenter's Landing Turnpike Company," passed February fourth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS — Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Wallace—16

NAYS — None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to confirm the title of John B. Keeler, to certain lands in the county of Burlington,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Moorestown Turnpike Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleeker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fishian, Greer, Mulford, Polts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace 17.

NAYS—Messrs. Manners, (Pres.)—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson,"

Also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Turnpike Company.

Also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and Philadelphia Steamboat Ferry Company," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and forty-eight.

Also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company.

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Turnpike Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred

in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same. |

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and Philadelphia Steamboat Ferry Company," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and forty-eight,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered. That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered. That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred

in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Williamstown and Good Intent Turnpike Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

Mr. Canfield moved to re-consider the vote by which

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize the formation of Railroad Companies, and the construction of Railroads,

Was ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

Which motion was agreed to.

Said bill was taken up, considered, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

There being no quorum, Mr. Potts moved a call of the Senate.

Which motion was agreed to.

The Secretary under the directions of the President, proceeded to call the Senate, and before concluding, the following Senators answered the call :

PRESENT.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk,

Ganfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie—18.

ABSENT.—Messrs. Hopper, and Satterthwaite—2.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Westville and Glasboro' Turnpike Company.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Sitgreaves moved to re-consider the vote, by which

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the court of Errors and Appeals," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was lost on its final passage.

Which motion was agreed to, and said vote reconsidered accordingly.

On motion of the same gentleman,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

The bill entitled,

An act for the benefit of Married Women.

Was taken up and being under consideration, and the first section thereof, as follows :

1. BE IT ENACTED by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the real and personal property, of any female who may hereafter marry, and which

she shall own at the time of marriage, and the rents, issues, and profits thereof, shall not be subject to the disposal of her husband, nor be liable for his debts, and shall continue her sole and separate property, as if she were a single female.

Mr. Zabriskie moved to amend the same by adding to the end of the section, after the word "female," the following words:—"and such female shall not, in any manner, be subject to the control of her husband."

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, and Zabriskie.—5.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

So said motion to amend, was not agreed to.

The question then being upon agreeing to the first section,

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Burk, Craig, Greer, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—6.

So said section was agreed to.

The second section being under consideration, was read and considered as follows:

2. *And be it enacted*, That the real and personal property, and the rents, issues and profits thereof, of any female now married, shall not be subject to the disposal of her husband; but shall be her sole and separate property, as if she were a single female, except so far as the same may

be liable for the debts of her husband heretofore contracted.

Upon the question of agreeing to said section,

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—10.

NAYS—Messrs. Rogers and Zabriskie—2.

So said second section was agreed.

The third section was then taken up, read, and considered as follows:

3. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be lawful for any married female to receive, by gift, grant, devise or bequest, from any person other than her husband, and hold, to her sole and separate use, as if she were a single female, real and personal property, and the rents, issues and profits thereof, and the same shall not be subject to the disposal of her husband, nor be liable for his debts:

Mr. Zabriskie moved to amend the same by striking out the words "from any person other than her husband" after the words "bequest," in the second line, and before the word "and," in the third line.

The yeas and nays being demanded on the motion, were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Edmunds, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabiskie—7.

NAYS—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Potts, and Wallace—10.

So said motion to strike out was not agreed to.

The question then being upon agreeing to the said third section,

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk,

Canfield, Congar, Crieg, Davis, Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite Sitgreaves, and Zabris-
kie—8.

So said section was agreed to.

The fourth and remaining sections of said bill was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Madford and Tuckerton Turnpike Road Company,

Was then taken up, the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly read and occurred in, and the bill as amended ordered to be re-engrossed and to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act making appropriations to the New Jersey Colonization Society,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to extend the charter of the President, Directors, and Company of the Farmer's Bank of New Jersey,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Satterthwaite moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put

Upon its final passage at this time,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to extend the charter of the President, Directors, and Company of the Farmers' Bank of New Jersey.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriskie—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Craig, Davis, Mannors, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Sitgreaves—8.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Greer, Mannors, (Pres.) Mulford, and Potts—9.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the discontinuance of the House of Refuge, and for the relief of the Contractors who furnished Labor and Materials for the erection of the same,

Was taken up, read a second time, and the first section thereof, as follows:

1. *BE IT ENACTED, By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That the Governor of this State shall appoint three commissioners, whose duty it shall be forthwith to audit the accounts of the contractors who furnished labor and materials for the erection of the House of Refuge; and that upon the certificate of the amount or amounts due to each of them, for work done, and materials furnished, to be appointed by the Governor, according to the written contracts entered into between the said contractors and the commissioners, appointed to contract for and superintend the erection of the said House of Refuge; the Treasurer shall

pay the same to the said contractors, respectively, out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

Mr. Congar moved to insert the following section, in lieu of the one just read from the House of Assembly :

1. BE IT ENACTED, *By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That the Secretary of the State is hereby directed to audit the accounts of the contractors who furnished labor and materials for the erection of the House of Refuge ; and that upon his certificate of the amount or amounts due to each of them, for work done and materials furnished, according to the written contracts entered into by the said contractors and commissioners appointed to contract for and superintend the erection of the said House of Refuge, the Treasurer shall pay the same to the said contractors, respectively, out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Rogers, and Zabriskie—6.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Craig, Davis, Greer, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

So said motion to insert and amend, was not agreed to.

Upon the question of agreeing to the said section, as passed by the House of Assembly,

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Craig, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Congar, Edmunds, Rogers, and Satterthwaite—4.

So said section was not agreed to.

The second and remaining sections of said bill, were read, considered, and agreed to, and the bill ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Davis moved to reconsider the vote by which
 the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
 "An act to extend the charter of the President, Directors, and
 Company of the Farmers' Bank of New Jersey,
 Was lost on its final passage.

Which motion was agreed to, and said vote reconsidered
 accordingly.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their
 Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has
 passed

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting
 Executions, and regulating the sale of Personal Estate by vir-
 tue thereof," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and
 forty-six.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the preserva-
 tion of Sheep," approved April fourteen, eighteen hundred
 and forty-six.

Also,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act against Usury,"
 approved April ten, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act incorpora-
 ting the inhabitants of Townships, designating their powers,
 and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth,
 eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

An act to enable the Executors of Nancy Scott, deceased, to
 execute her last Will and Testament.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the
 Senate severally entitled,

An act to incorporate the Prospect Hill Cemetery of Bell-
 ville.

Also,

An act authorizing the construction of a road separate from

the route of the New Jersey Railroad, at and eastwardly of the Hackensack Bridge, in the county of Hudson. ;

Also,

An act to incorporate the Toms' River and Barnagat Steam boat Company.

Also,

A supplement to an act entitled an act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company.

Also,

An act for relief of James Sailor,

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and three,

Without amendment.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate, entitled,

A further supplement to the "Act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

With sundry amendments,

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Salem and Woodstown Turnpike Company,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson Fire Association," passed November third, eighteen hundred and twenty-one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Hudson and Bergen Plank Road Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the court of Errors and Appeals," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) and Satterthwaite—6.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Pittstown and Bridgeton Turnpike Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Satterthwaite offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourns, it adjourn to meet again on Monday afternoon next, at three o'clock, P. M.

Which was read, when

Mr. Alexander moved that the same do lie on the table.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Craig, Greer, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—6.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—12.

So said motion to lie on the table, was not agreed to.

Upon the question of agreeing to said resolution,

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Craig, Greer, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—6

So said resolution to adjourn until Monday, was agreed to.

Mr. Davis moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Davis, Fithian Mulford, and Rogers—4

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Greer, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—12.

So said motion was not agreed to.

The bill entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed the twenty-

ninth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and three,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting Executions, and regulating the sale of Personal Estate by virtue thereof," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act against Usury," approved April ten, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to enable the Executors of Nancy Scott, deceased, to execute her last Will and Testament,

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of Townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the preservation of Sheep," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up and read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act for the relief of Harvey Dayton,
Was taken up, and read a third time.
Upon the question,
Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?
It was decided in the negative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Congar, Edmunds, and Satterthwaite—3.

NAYS — Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Greer, Manners, (Pres) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie.—14.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The bill entitled,
An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Turnpike Company,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,)
Trenton, March 19, 1852. {

Mr. President :—I have this day approved and signed the following bills originating in the Senate :

An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery."

An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies, to subscribe a part of the capital stock of the Freehold and Jamesburgh Agricultural Railroad Company.

A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the Poor," approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Joint Resolution authorizing the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Belvidere Delaware Railroad Company.

An act to incorporate the Oldman's Creek Steam Navigation Company.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Belvidere and Water Gap Railroad Company," approved February twenty-one, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Salem County," passed March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

An act authorizing the construction of a Bridge or Dam from the fast land to Tompkin's island, in the Delaware river.

GEO. F. FORT.

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,
The Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, MARCH 22, 1852.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Merrell.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to enable the Executors of Nancy Scott, deceased, to execute her last Will and Testament,

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act against Usury," approved April ten, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Satterthwaite, from the committee on Agriculture, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep," approved April fourteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and Philadelphia Steamboat Ferry Company," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and forty-eight.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act for the relief of James Sailer,
 Having passed both houses,
 Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on
 Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approba-
 tion, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate,

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,
 reported that they had examined .

The bill entitled,
 An act for the benefit of Married Women,

Also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,
 An act to incorporate the Medford and Tuckerton Turnpike
 Company,
 And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Sitgreaves gave notice that he would, on to-morrow,
 or some future day, ask leave to introduce .

A bill entitled,

An act to facilitate improvement to the Navigation of the
 River Delaware.

The same gentleman, from the Joint Committee on Passed
 Bills, presented the following report :

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report,

That they have this day presented to the Governor for his
 approval, March nineteenth,

No. 75.

An act to incorporate the Port Elizabeth and Millville
 Turnpike Company.

No. 84.

An act to confirm a Deed of Conveyance from Lewis R.
 Marsh, one of the Executors of the last will and testament of
 Ralph Marsh, late of Rahway, Essex county, New Jersey,
 deceased, to James Moore, dated June fourth, eighteen hun-
 dred and forty seven.

No. 102.

Supplement to the act entitled, "An act for facilitating the communication from Morristown, in the county of Morris, through Dover, Mount Pleasant, and from thence to Sparta, in the county of Sussex..."

No. 101.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden, Ellisburg, and Marlton Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

No. 90.

An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Point Steamboat Company.

No. 86.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Trenton Mutual Life and Fire Insurance Company."

No. 142.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February twenty-nine, eighteen hundred and three.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,
Chairman of Committee of Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Pittstown and Bridgton Turnpike Company.

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Craig, Edmunds, Fabian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Medford and Tuckerton Turnpike Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Craig, Edmunds, Eithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

The joint resolution entitled,

Joint Resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of New Jersey,

Was taken up, read, amended and considered, and,

On motion of Mr. Mulford,

The further consideration thereof was postponed for the present.

The bill entitled,

An act authorizing the construction of a road separate from the route of the New Jersey Railroad, and eastwardly of the Hackensack Bridge, in the county of Hudson,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Prospect Hill Cemetery of Bellville,

Having passed both houses;

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "Act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed and have a third reading.

Mr. Sitgreaves moved to re-consider the vote by which

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the relief of Harvey Dayton,

Was lost on its final passage.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Canfield, Edmunds, Fithian, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—6.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Craig, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, and Potts—6.

So said motion to re-consider said vote, was not agreed to.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to enable the executors of Nancy Scott, deceased, to execute her last Will and Testament,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act against Usury," approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the preserva-

tion of Sheep," approved April fourteen; eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill entitled;

An act to incorporate the Toms River and Barnegat Steamboat Company,

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company,"

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on passed bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The Joint Resolution entitled,

A Joint Resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of New Jersey,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,

The Senate then adjourned.

TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer, by the Rev. Mr. Morrell.

Mr. Congar presented the petition of James L. Darling and others, inhabitants of the county of Essex, praying the passage of the act now before the Legislature of this State, entitled,

An act to incorporate the Newark and Bloomfield Railroad Company,

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Executions, and regulating the sale of personal estate, by virtue thereof," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The joint resolution entitled,

A Joint Resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of New Jersey,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Also,

The amendments made in the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the preservation of Sheep," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

The amendments made in the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize the formation of Railroad Companies, and the construction of Railroads,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

Mr. Congar moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-third rule as prescribes that one day's notice shall be given of an intended motion for leave to introduce a bill or joint resolution, in order at this time to ask leave to introduce a bill.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Mr. Congar then asked and obtained leave to introduce,
A bill entitled,

An act to provide for the services and publication of Notices of Legal Proceedings, in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Sitgreaves offered the following Resolution :

Resolved, That five hundred copies of Senate bill, 114, be printed, one copy for each member of this Legislature, and the balance for the Adjutant General, to be distributed among the Assessors of the several townships and wards of this State.

Which was read, and agreed to.

Mr. Alexander, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred,

The bill entitled,

An act to provide for the Services and Publication of Notices of Legal proceedings, in certain cases,

Reported the same without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the preservation of Sheep," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Congar, Craig, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, and Zabriskie—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Canfield, Edmunds, Fithian, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—8.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

Mr. Canfield moved to re-consider the vote, by which the aforementioned bill from the House of Assembly,

Was lost on its final passage.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) and Satterthwaite—4.

So said section was agreed to, and said vote re-considered accordingly.

Mr. Fithian moved that said bill be taken up and re-committed, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Canfield, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Sitgreaves, and Wallace—6.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Craig, Edmunds, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, and Zabriskie—7.

So said motion to re-commit and refer, was not agreed to.

Said bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act for the preservation of Sheep," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,
Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended,
pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Wallace, and Zabriskie.—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—4.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize the formation of Railroad Companies,
and the construction of Railroads,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended,
pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Congar, Craig, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, and Sitgreaves—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Canfield, Edmunds, Fithian, Potts, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriskie—7.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Hudson and Bergen Plank Road
Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar,
Craig, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.)
Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wal-
lace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary
carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the
Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with-
out amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Westville and Glasborough Turn-
pike Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar,
Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford,
Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace
—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary
carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that
the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assem-
bly, without amendment.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their
Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has
passed

The bills severally entitled,

An act to suppress Drinking and Tippling Houses.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent Fraudulent Elections by Incorporated Companies, and to facilitate proceedings against them," approved the fifteenth day of April, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

Also,

An act to correct an act entitled "An act concerning Streets, in the new manufacturing town of Elizabethport," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-two.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water,

Without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to suppress Drinking and Tippling Houses,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature and the distribution thereof, and the Laws of the United States," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to correct an act entitled "An act concerning Streets, in the new manufacturing town of Elizabethport," approved March twelfth, eighteen hundred and fifty-two,

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

On motion of Mr. Congar, the rule requiring each bill or joint resolution to be referred to a committee, was dispensed with.

Mr. Congar moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill

Upon its second reading at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill, was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Congar moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to enable the Executors of Nancy Scott, deceased, to execute her last Will and Testament,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sigreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill entitled,

An act to repeal part of an act entitled, "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Newark,'" approved February fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up, when

Mr. Congar moved to postpone the same indefinitely.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, and Sigreaves—5.

So said motion to, postpone said bill indefinitely, was agreed to,

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on

Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature and the Distribution thereof, and the Laws of the United States," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same, without amendment.

Mr. Canfield, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the Governor's Message upon that subject, reported

A bill entitled,

An act to provide for the collection of taxes due from Banks and Banking Associations of this State.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Bleecker moved to reconsider the vote by which

The bill entitled,

An act to repeal part of an act entitled "An act to incorpo-

rate the city of Newark," approved February fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was ordered to be postponed indefinitely.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Davis, Greer, Mulford, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Criag, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, and Satterthwaite—7.

So said motion to re-consider said vote to postpone indefinitely, was agreed to.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled;

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Paterson Fire Association," passed November third eighteen hundred and twenty-one,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act for the better securing the property of Married Women,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsell, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Fithian, Greer, Rogers, and Satterthwaite—4.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," passed March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-five,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a final reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Executions, and regulating the sale of personal estate, by virtue thereof," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read, considered, and

On motion of Mr. Congar, the same was indefinitely postponed.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The Joint Resolution from the House of Assembly entitled,

Joint Resolution, in relation to the Elizabethtown and Somerville Railroad Company,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

1. **BE IT ENACTED**, *By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That the Managers of the Lunatic Asylum are hereby authorized to extend the building.

by erecting two wings of one hundred and thirty feet in length, to correspond with the present building, and that the sum of eighteen thousand dollars be paid out of the State Treasury by the Treasurer during the current year to defray the expenses of enclosing the same.

Upon the question of agreeing to the first section,

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Craig, Davis, Greer, Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—7.

So said section was agreed to.

The second and remaining sections of said bill was read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act making appropriations to the New Jersey Colonization Society,

Was taken up, and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Craig, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—6.

Ordered, That the President sign said Bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

1. The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize the erection of Dams at Scudder's

Falls, and Wells' Falls, and to improve the navigation of the river Delaware,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and the second section thereof, as follows :

2. *And be it enacted*, That the height of the said dam shall not exceed two feet above the top of the outer or river bank of the present raceway of the said company, and that the said dam shall have a suitable opening of not less than one hundred feet, and not more than two hundred feet in width, and shall be so constructed with head-walls, or such other fixtures as will render the navigation as safe and convenient as the same now is at the said Falls, and at all times to maintain the same in such manner that the said state of navigation shall not be impaired.

Mr. Mulford moved to amend the same by inserting in the sixth line after the word "and," and before the word "at," the words "the said company and their successors shall," and also by amending the same in the seventh line by striking out the word "to" between the words "times" and "maintain."

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Craig, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—5.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—13.

So said motion was not agreed to.

The third and remaining sections of said bill were read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the construction of works to supply the City of Paterson with Water,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed,

The bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Trenton Iron Company," approved February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-seven.

Also,

Joint Resolution authorizing the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Rail Road and Transportation Companies, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Flemington Rail Road and Transportation Company.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate, entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent in certain cases the abatement of Suits, and reversal of Judgments," approved March seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Also,

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting Conveyances," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

An act to authorize the construction of Works to supply the city of Paterson with water,

Without amendment.

And,

That the House of Assembly has disagreed to the Joint Resolutions from the Senate entitled,

Joint resolutions relative to the early records of the Supreme Court,

And has caused the same to be returned to the Senate.

The Joint Resolution from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Flemington Railroad and Transportation Company.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Trenton Iron Company," approved February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-seven,

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Craig moved to take up the concurrent resolution from the House of Assembly, as amended by the Senate, and read as follows:

Resolved, (Senate concurring,) That this Legislature adjourn *sine die* on Thursday next, the twenty-fifth inst.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Rogers, Wallace, and Zabriskie—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Manners, (Pres.) and Mulford—4.

So said resolution as amended, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in said concurrent resolution from the House of Assembly, with an amendment, in which amendment the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to an act entitled, "An act to prevent in certain cases the abatements of Suits, and reversal of Judgments," approved March seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Having passed both houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on

Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon : {

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate,

The engrossed joint resolution, entitled,
Joint Resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of New Jersey,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed joint resolution pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows :

Mr. Craig asked to be excused from voting for the same.

Which request was considered, and the Senator excused accordingly.

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie.—9.

So said joint resolution was disagreed to,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to extend the charter of the President, Directors, and Company of the Farmers' Bank of New Jersey,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?
It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners (Pres.) Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Greer, Hopper, and Mulford—7.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary

ry carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

Mr. Davis gave notice that he would, on to-morrow, or some future day, ask leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to change the Line between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Medford and Tackerton Turnpike Road Company,

Also,

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Conveyances," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Having passed both Houses.

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on passed bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The Senate then adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The petitions of Sarah Smith Stafford, and Mary Montgomery,

Reported that they deemed no legislation necessary or expedient thereon.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed,

The bills from the Senate severally entitled,

An act to authorize the Trustees of the School Fund to sell the lands belonging to the State, at or near the city of Paterson.

Also,

An act concerning a certain subscription or loan by the city of Trenton.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act respecting Public Schools in the city of Trenton," approved March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to prevent frauds by incorporated companies."

Also,

An act to authorize heating the State Prison with Steam,
Without amendment.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate severally entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature and the distribution thereof, and the Laws of the United States," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate and widen the Draws in the Bridges over the Hackensack river," passed March three, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Pemberton Turnpike or Plank Road Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Woodstown and Pennsgrove Turnpike Company.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Chingarora Dock Company, of Keyport," approved February twenty-one, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Also,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

With sundry amendments,

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Williamstown and Good Intent Turnpike Company,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

And,

That the House of Assembly has disagreed to the bill from the Senate entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act concerning Landlords and Tenants," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And has caused the same to be returned to the Senate.

I am further directed to inform the Senate, that the House of Assembly has passed the following preamble and concurrent Resolution :

WHEREAS the Honorable Daniel Webster, Secretary of State of the United States, is now in the city of Trenton—

Resolved, (Senate concurring,) That a Joint Committee of both Houses, consisting of two members of the Senate and three members of the House of Assembly, be appointed to wait upon him and invite him to meet the Senators and Assemblymen of New Jersey, in the Assembly Hall, and ascertain at what time it would be agreeable for him to do so.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent frauds by incorporated companies,"

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize a contract for heating the State Prison with Steam,

Having passed both houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Potts, from the committee on Corporations, to whom had been referred,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the

Trenton Iron Company," approved February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-seven.

Also,

The Joint Resolution from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies, to subscribe a part of the capital stock of the Flemington Railroad and Transportation Company,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report:

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report,

That they presented to the Governor for his approval, March twenty-fourth,

No. 10.

An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Turnpike Company,

No. 78 1-2.

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company.

No. 137.

An act for relief of James Sailor,

No. 32.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and Philadelphia Steamboat Ferry Company," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and forty-eight.

No. 122.

An act authorizing the construction of a road separate from the route of the New Jersey Railroad, and eastwardly of the Hackensack Bridge, in the county of Hudson.

No. 112.

An act to incorporate the Prospect Hill Cemetery of Bellville,

No. 134.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company."

No. 123.

An act to incorporate the Toms' River and Barnegat Steamboat Company,

No. 91.

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water.

No. 106.

An act to authorize the construction of Works to supply the city of Paterson with water,

No. 80.

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent in certain cases the abatement of Suits, and reversal of Judgments," approved March seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

No. 61.

An act to incorporate the Medford and Tuckerton Turnpike Road Company.

No. 104.

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting Conveyances," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,
Chairman of Committee of Senate.

The same Senator, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of Townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Rogers, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to suppress Drinking and Tippling Houses,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Zabriskie moved that the Senate do now take up and

concur in the following preamble and concurrent resolution.

WHEREAS, the Hon. Daniel Webster, Secretary of State of the United States, is now in the city of Trenton,—

Resolved, (Senate concurring,) That a Joint Committee of both Houses, consisting of two members of the Senate and three members of the House of Assembly, be appointed to wait upon him and invite him to meet the Senators and Assemblymen of New Jersey, in the Assembly Hall, and ascertain at what time it would be agreeable for him to do so.

Which was read and concurred in, and.

Messrs. Canfield and Zabriskie appointed by the President, as the Committee on the part of the Senate for that purpose.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the above concurrent resolution, and of the appointment of said committee.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," approved March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-five,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Congar, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to change the name of R. Willis Baker, of the county of Warren,

Was taken up, and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Congar, Davis, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Craig, Fithian, and Rogers—4.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act against Usury," approved April tenth, eighteen hundred and forty six,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Craig, Davis, Greer, Potts, and Wallace—5.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the Trustees of the School fund to sell the lands belonging to the State, at or near the city of Paterson,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act concerning a certain subscription or loan, by the city of Trenton,

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools in the city of Trenton," approved March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act relative to the Lunatic Asylum,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Chingarora Dock Company, of Keyport," approved February twenty-one, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was then taken up, the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed and have a third reading.

The Joint Resolution from the House of Assembly entitled,

Joint Resolution authorizing the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Rail Road and Transportation Companies, to subscribe for a part of the capital stock of the Flemington Rail Road and Transportation Company.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Manners (Pres.) moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a

bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill

Upon its final passage at this time,

Which motion was agreed to, and said rule suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Brdsall Craig, Davis, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—11.

NAYS.—Messrs Bleecker, Burk, Congar, Fithian, Greer, and Satterthwaite—6.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

Supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Trenton Iron Company," approved February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Sitgreaves moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Congar, Fithian,

Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The amendments made in the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature and the Distribution thereof, and the Laws of the United States," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Alexander moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Concar, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabrisie—16.

NAYS.—Messrs. Craig—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill entitled,

An act to repeal part of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Newark," approved February fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was taken up, when

Mr. Congar, moved to postpone the same indefinitely.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Congar, Fithian, Rogers, and Zabris-
kie—4.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Davis, Grear, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

So said motion to postpone indefinitely, was not agreed to.

Said bill was then taken up, and read, and considered, and the first section thereof, as follows:

1. BE IT ENACTED, *By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That the 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, and 10th sections of the act entitled, "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Newark,' " approved February fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Mr. Congar moved to amend the same by adding the following proviso.

Provided, That nothing contained in this act shall be construed to apply to any proceedings heretofore taken for the laying out of any park in said city, under the provisions of said supplement, but such proceedings shall continue and be determined in like manner, and in all respects as if this act had not been passed.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Davis, Greer, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—10.

So said amendment was not agreed to.

The second and remaining sections of said bill were read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act incorporating the inhabitants of Townships, designating their powers, and regulating their meetings," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read, considered by sections, and disagreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

Mr. Davis, in pursuance of notice heretofore given, asked leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

An act to change the Line between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean.

Upon the question,

Shall the Senator have leave to introduce the bill?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Wallace.—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—9.

So leave was not given to introduce said bill.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their

Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills severally entitled,

An act for improving the Navigation of the River Delaware.

Also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to sett off a part of the township of Vernon, in the county of Sussex, and to annex the same to the township of Hardyston, in said county."

Also,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the Support of the Government of this State, and to fix the salaries of Public Officers."

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act making Lands liable to be sold for the payment of Debts," approved April sixteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate, entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate Jersey City," approved March eighth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Also,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the City of Trenton," passed March seventh, A. D. eighteen hundred and thirty-seven,

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the court of Errors and Appeals," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Without amendment.

And,

• The bill entitled;

• A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to establish Public Schools,"

With sundry amendments,
In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill entitled,

An act for the preservation of Sheep," approved April fourteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide for the Support of the Government of this State, and to fix the Salaries of Public Officers.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for improving the navigation of the River Delaware.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act making Lands liable for the payment of Debts," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Were severally taken up, read a first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to set off a part of the township of Vernon, in the county of Sussex, and to annex the same to the township of Hardyston, in said county,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Municipal Corporations.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to establish Public Schools,"

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read, and the first amendment thereof, as follows :

1. **BE IT ENACTED, By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey,** That the Treasurer of the State is hereby directed to pay to the trustees for the support of free schools immediately after the receipt thereof, the entire revenue that shall accrue to the State on and after the first day of July next, from the transient duties upon all canal and railroad companies, the tax upon the capital stock of all canal and railroad companies, and the dividends upon the stock held by the State in the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and the Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies ; which sums shall be in addition to all other money that now is, or shall hereafter be appropriated by law to that purpose, appropriated by them for the support of free schools in this State, and shall be apportioned among the several counties in the ratio of the population as ascertained by the last census, preceding the time of such apportionment.

Upon the question of agreeing to said amendment,

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS — Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Craig, Davis, Greer, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—9.

NAYS — Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, and Zabriskie—7.

So said amendment was agreed to.

The second and remaining amendments were read, and while under consideration,

Mr. Alexander moved to reconsider the vote by which the first amendment was agreed to.

Which motion was agreed to.

On motion of the same Senator, the further consideration of said bill, and the amendments, were postponed for the present.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "Act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

And the amendments as engrossed therein,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to suppress Drinking and Tippling Houses,

Was taken up, read, and considered by sections, and the first section thereof, as follows:

1. *BE IT ENACTED by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey*, That no person or persons within this State shall be permitted to sell, barter, exchange, deal in, make or manufacture for sale, or in any other manner dispose of any vinous, spirituous or intoxicating liquors of and kind or description whatever, or any ale, porter, beer, cider, or fermented liquors or drinks whatever, in any quantity less than one gallon, until he or she shall have first obtained a license for that purpose from the court of Common Pleas of the county in which such person or persons reside.

Mr. Sitgreaves moved to amend the same by inserting after the word "whatever," in the fifth line, the words, "except small beer."

Mr. Mulford moved to amend the amendment by adding at the end of the amendment the words, "sweet cider."

The yeas and nays being demanded upon the amendment to the amendment, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Craig, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, and Zabriskie—4.

So said motion to amend the amendment was agreed to.

The first amendment was then agreed to.

Mr. Potts moved to further amend the said section, by striking out the words, "one gallon."

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Davis, Fithian, Greer, Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—6.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—8.

So said motion to strike out and amend, was not agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Craig,
The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

- The bill entitled,

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate Jersey City," approved March eighteen, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Trenton," passed March seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven.

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Court of Errors and Appeals," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on

Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

" I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Alexander, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide for the Support of the Government of this State, and to fix the salaries of Public Officers."

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled;

An act for the Improving the Navigation of the River Delaware.

Also,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled;

A supplement to an act entitled "An act making Lands liable to be sold for the payment of Debts," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled;

A supplement to the act entitled a "An act to set off a part of the township of Vernon, in the county of Sussex, and to annex the same to the township of Hardyston, in said county,"

Reported the same without amendment.

The same Senator, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled;

An act to repeal part of an act entitled, "A further supplement to the act entitled, 'An act to incorporate the city of Newark, approved February fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty.'"

Also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,
An act to incorporate the Woodstown and Penn's Grove
Turnpike Company.

Also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Pemberton
Turnpike or Plank Road Company.

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Pemberton Turn-
pike or Plank Road Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig,
Davis, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Sat-
terthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—15.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary
inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred
in the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to said
bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the
same.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Woodstown and Penn's Grove
Turnpike Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Craig,
Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Rogers, Satterth-
waite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—13.

Narrs.—Messrs. Congar—I.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has amended the amendments made in the Senate to the Resolution from the House of Assembly for an adjournment *sine die*, by substituting "Friday the 26th March," for Thursday the 25th March, and has passed the resolution so amended.

And,

I am further directed to inform the Senate that the House is ready to go into Joint Meeting for the purpose of appointing two Delegates to meet in the city of Philadelphia, with a Convention of Delegates to meet, of the thirteen States of 1776, on the 4th of July next, and for filling the vacancies of such state and county officers as are now vacant, and request the Senate to fix the time and place of such Joint Meeting.

The Resolution from the House of Assembly, substituting Friday the 26th of March, for Thursday the 25th of March, for the Legislature to adjourn *sine die*,

Was taken up, read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the substitution of Friday the twenty-fifth of March inst. by the House of Assembly, for this Legislature to adjourn *sine die*.

The engrossed bill entitled,

"An act to repeal part of an act entitled, "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Newark,' " approved February fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was called up, when

Mr. Congar moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill

Upon its final passage at this time,
Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule
suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Crag, Greer,
Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis,
Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Za-
briskie—10.

So said engrossed bill was disagreed to.

The engrossed bill entitled,
An act relative to the Lunatic Asylum,
Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk,
Canfield, Congar, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Sat-
terthwaite, and Zabriskie—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Crag, Davis, Greer, Mulford, Potts, Sit-
greaves, and Wallace—7.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary
carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them
that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concur-
rence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes,"
approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,
And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,
Was taken up and read a third time.
Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Greer, Mulford, Potts, and Zabriskie—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Congar, Craig, Davis, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—10.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The Joint Resolution from the House of Assembly entitled,

Joint Resolution, in relation to the Elizabethtown and Somerville Railroad Company,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this joint resolution from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Greer, Mulford, and Potts—6.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Congar, Craig, Davis, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed,

The bills, from the Senate entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Princeton Bank," passed February twenty-second, eighteen hundred and thirty-four,"

Also,

An act to incorporate the Bridgeton and Deerfield Turnpike Company,

Without amendment.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act, entitled "An act to incorporate the Princeton Bank," passed February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and thirty-four,

Also,

The bill entitled,

Supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," approved March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-five,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Bridgeton and Deerfield Turnpike Company,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN.

Secretary of the Senate.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "Act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sattarhwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said Bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

Mr Sitgreaves moved to reconsider the vote by which

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,
Was lost on its final passage.

Which motion was agreed to, and said vote reconsidered accordingly.

On motion of the same Senator, the same bill was then taken up and re-committed, and referred to the committee on Finance.

Mr. Canfield moved to re-consider the vote, by which

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize the formation of Railroad Companies, and the construction of Railroads,
Was lost on its final passage.

Which motion was agreed to, and said vote reconsidered accordingly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to suppress Drinking or Tippling Houses,

Was taken up again, when

On motion of Mr. Davis, the same was indefinitely postponed:

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, March 24, 1852. }

To the Senate:—

I herewith return the bill entitled: "An act to incorporate the Monmouth County Life and Health Insurance Company," to your House, in which it originated, for your re-consideration.

eration. This bill creates a joint stock company with a capital of \$25,000, and confers the privilege of insuring the lives and health, not only of subscribers, but of all other persons who shall apply for such purpose; with the power of establishing agencies elsewhere than at their usual place of business, of investing their funds in stocks, bonds and mortgages or other securities. The provisions of the bill also imply the power of declaring dividends on the capital stock, and using and dealing in the money and funds of the corporation generally, in such manner as to advance the interests of the corporators.

The nature and character of the organization, its power and privileges, its objects and purposes, constitute it in my opinion, a *money corporation* within the intent and meaning of the Constitution of the State (art. 4, sec. 7, paragraph 8). The term "*money corporation*" as used in that instrument has a signification upon its face, distinct from "*Banks*." The extent to which the term may be considered applicable is not perhaps well settled. By consulting Kent's Commentaries on American Law of 1827—pages 252—3, a clue may be obtained to its proper construction. A reference will be found to the mode of dissolving "*incorporated Insurance Companies*" for good cause shown in connection with the New York act of 1825, which "contained many directions calculated to check abuses in the management of all moneyed incorporations, and to facilitate the recovery of debts against them." This act was passed many years prior to the formation of our present Constitution and may be considered as settling the true construction. If any doubt however, could be entertained upon the subject, it is entirely dispelled by a clear and accurate definition of the term, in the revised statutes of that State, Vol. 1, page 731, and which I am informed by eminent legal authority, is generally received. "*Moneyed Corporation*" is "construed to mean every corporation having banking powers, or having the power to make loans upon pledges or deposits, or authorized by law to make insurances."

If such be the true construction, and I have not a doubt upon that point, this bill fails to comply with that part of the constitution above referred to, which provides, that all charters for banks, or money corporations, "shall be limited to a term not exceeding twenty years." This bill contains no such provisions.

By examining the statutes of this State passed since the adoption of the present constitution, with some three or four exceptions, the limitation of twenty years will be found inserted in all charters for insurance companies. Whether its omission invalidates a charter is a matter for judicial decision. The constitutional provision is a salutary one, and should be uniformly adhered to.

I have heretofore drawn a distinction between insurance companies, organized upon the mutual principles, and such as have a joint stock capital. Whether a difference really exists within the intent and meaning of the constitution, is a question, however, reversed for future consideration.

The reasons are respectfully presented, and have been sufficient to induce me to return the bill to the Senate for its reconsideration.

GEO. F. FORT.

Which was read and ordered to be entered on the Journal, and the bill to lie up on the table.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Newark and Bloomfield Railroad Company;

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the discontinuance of the House of Refuge, and for the relief of the contractors who furnished labor and Materials for the erection of the same,

Was taken up, and read a third time,

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleeker, Birdsall, Burk, Craig, Fithian, Greer, Manners (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Rogers, and Satterthwaite—6.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his private Secretary:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, March 24, 1852. }

To the Senate:—

*Mr. President:—*I have this day approved and signed the following bills originating in the Senate:

An act to incorporate the Millville and Malaga Road Company,

A supplement to the act entitled an act to incorporate the Jersey City Gas Light Company.

An act to authorize the administrators of George C. Rumsey of the county of Salem, to deliver certain Deeds.

An act to incorporate the Vincentown and Mount Holly Turnpike Company.

An act to incorporate the Erina Benevolent Association, of the city of Newark.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Salem County Mutual Fire Insurance Company," passed February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the proprietors of the Trenton Water Works," passed February twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and three.

An act to confirm the title of Horatio T. Wells, to certain lands in Camden.

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Trenton Mutual Life and Fire Insurance Company.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden, Ellisburg, and Marlton Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Supplement to the act entitled, "An act for facilitating the

communication from Morristown, in the county of Morris, through Dover, Mount Pleasant, and from thence to Sparta, in the county of Sussex.

• An act to confirm a Deed of Conveyance from Lewis R. Marsh, one of the Executors of the last will and testament of Ralph Marsh, late of Rahway, Essex county, New Jersey, deceased, to James Moore, dated June fourth, eighteen hundred and forty seven.

An act to incorporate the Port Elizabeth and Millville Turnpike Company.

An act relative to freight and transit duties on Rail Roads in this State.

• An act to incorporate the Keyport and Middletown Point Steamboat Company.

GEO. F. FORT.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate and widen the Draws in the Bridges over the Hackensack river," passed March three, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a final reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to establish Public Schools,"

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up, the amendments read, considered, and the first amendment thereof, which had been re-considered, as follows :

I. BE IT ENACTED, By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the Treasurer of the State is hereby directed to pay to the trustees of the school fund for public schools immediately after the receipt thereof, the entire revenue that shall accrue to the State on and after the 1st day of July next, from the transient duties upon all canal and railroad companies, the tax upon the capital stock of all canal and railroad companies, and the dividends

upon the stock held by the State in the Delaware and Raritan Canal, and the Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Companies; which sums shall be in addition to all other money that now is, or shall hereafter be appropriated by law to that purpose, appropriated by them for the support of free schools in this State, and shall be apportioned among the several counties in the ratio of the population as ascertained by the last census, preceding the time of such apportionment.

The yeas and nays being demanded upon agreeing to said amendment, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Burk, Conger, Craig, Davis, Greer, Mulford, Putts, and Wallace—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsell, Canfield, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—10.

So said amendment was not agreed to.

The second and remaining amendments made by the House of Assembly, were read, and disagreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill.

The bill entitled,

An act to provide for the Services and Publication of Notices of Legal proceedings, in certain cases,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act to provide for the collection of taxes due from Banks and Banking Associations of this State,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to set off a part

of the township of Vernon, in the county of Stussex, and to annex the same to the township of Hardyston, in said county,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of Societies for the protection of property," approved March thirteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the Support of the Government of this State, and to fix the salaries of Public Officers,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, and

The amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly, read.

Upon the question of agreeing to the amendment,

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Greer, Mulford, Potts, and Satterthwaite—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—10.

So said amendment was not agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House,

of Assembly and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to said bill.

On motion of Mr. Fithian,
The Senate then adjourned.

THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Morrell.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Pemberton Turnpike or Plank Road Company.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Woodstown and Penn's Grove Turnpike Company,

Having passed both houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report:

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report,

That they presented to the Governor for his approval, March twenty-fourth,

No. 127.

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to prevent frauds by incorporated companies."

No. 133.

An act to authorize the heating the State Prison with Steam.

No. 125.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools in the city of Trenton," approved March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

No. 120.

An act to authorize the Trustees of the School fund to sell the lands belonging to the State, at or near the city of Paterson.

No. 124.

An act concerning a certain subscription or loan, by the city of Trenton.

No. 128.

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate Jersey City," approved March eighteen, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

No. 143.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Court of Errors and Appeals," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

No. 134.

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Trenton," passed March seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven.

No. 113.

Supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," passed March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-five.

No. 121.

An act to incorporate the Bridgeton and Deerfield Turnpike Company.

No. 55.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Princeton Bank," passed February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-four.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,

Chairman of Committee of Senate.

Mr. Hopper, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act to provide for the services and publication of Notices of Legal Proceedings, in certain cases.

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to provide for the collection of the Taxes due from Banks and Banking Associations of this State.

Also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Chingarora Dock Company of Keyport," approved February twenty-one, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the "Act to regulate and widen the Draws in the Bridges over the Hackensack River," passed March third, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight,

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

And,

That they have further examined the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Newark and Bloomfield Rail Road Company.

And find said amendments to be correctly engrossed.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills from the Senate severally entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Woodbury and Camden Turnpike Company," approved February twenty eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Also,

An act to incorporate the Essex and Hudson Ferry Company,

Without amendment.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bills from the Senate, entitled,

An act regulating the proceedings of Courts, in cases of erroneous Taxation,

With sundry amendments,

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

I am also directed by the House of Assembly, to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has directed me to request the Senate to return to the House immediately, Assembly Bill. 89, entitled "An act for improving the navigation of the River Delaware."

Mr. Canfield moved that leave of absence be given to the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, in order that the Sergeant should wait upon the Honorable Daniel Webster, with a communication from the committee appointed by both Houses of the Legislature, for that purpose.

Which motion was agreed to, and leave given accordingly.

Mr. Mulford moved that the Secretary be directed to return to the House of Assembly, for their further consideration,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the Improving the Navigation of the River Delaware.

Which motion was agreed to, and said bill returned accordingly.

Mr. Canfield, from the Committee on Finance, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Reported the same without amendment.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to provide for the services and publication of Notices of Legal proceedings in certain cases,

Was taken up, and

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The same was re-committed to the committee on the Judiciary.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to provide for the collection of the Taxes due from Banks and Banking Associations of this State,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, and Zabriskie—5.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Ohingarora Dock Company, of Keyport," approved February twenty-one, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

Mr. Alexander moved to reconsider the vote by which

The bill entitled,

An act to repeal part of an act entitled, "A further supplement to the act entitled, 'An act to incorporate the city of Newark, approved February fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty.'"

Was lost on its final passage.

Which motion was not agreed to.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the "Act to regulate and widen the Draws in the Bridges over the Hackensack River," passed March third, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled a "An act to set off a part of the township of Vernon, in the county of Sussex, and to annex the same to the township of Hardyston, in said county,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Woodbury and Camden Turnpike Company,"

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Essex and Hudson Ferry Company,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on passed bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of Societies for the protection of property," approved March, thirteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Hopper, Rogers, and Sitgreaves—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Edmunds, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Wallace, and Zabris-
kie—9.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to provide for the Support of the Government of this State, and to fix the Salaries of Public Officers,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Burk, Rogers, and Zabris-
kie—4.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize the erection of Dams at Scudder's Falls, and Wells' Falls, and to improve the navigation of the river Delaware,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Greer, Rogers, and Zabriskie—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Brissell, Burk, Craig, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—11.

Order. That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred

The bill entitled,

An act to provide for the Services and Publication of Notices of Legal proceedings, in certain cases.

Reported a bill by the same title, as a substitute for the one so committed.

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr Sitgreaves moved to reconsider the vote by which

The Joint Resolution from the House of Assembly entitled,

Joint Resolution, in relation to the Elizabethtown and Somerville Railroad Company.

Was lost on its final passage.

Which motion was agreed to, and said vote reconsidered accordingly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to authorize the formation of Railroad Companies and the construction of Railroads.

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon which

Shall it be passed from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—**MESSES.** Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Cedar-
gar, Craig, Davis, Green, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rog-
ers, and Sugreaves—11.

NAYS.—**MESSES.** Birdsall, Burk, Edmunds, Fithian, Mul-
ford, Potts, Wallace, and Zabriskie—8.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary
carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the
Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with
sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence
of the House of Assembly is requested.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their
Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has
passed,

The bills, from the Senate severally entitled,

An act for the better securing the property of Married Wo-
men.

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate
the city of Paterson."

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the
New Brunswick Savings Institution," approved March eight-
teenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Without amendment.

And,

That the House of Assembly has disagreed to the bill
from the Senate entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the
Sussex and Warren Railroad Company," approved February
twenty-one, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

And has directed me to return to the Senate.

The bill entitled,

An act for the better securing the Property of Married Wo-
men,

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson,"

Also,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Brunswick Saving Institution," approved March eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Having passed both houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Newark and Bloomfield Railroad Company,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Conger, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, and Sitgreaves—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Burk, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Mulford Potts, and Rogers—9.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

The bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Monmouth County Life and Health Insurance Company.

Having been returned by the Governor to the Senate, with his objections in writing,

Was taken up, and read a third time.

Upon the question,
Shall this bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Catfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Mulford, Potts, and Rogers—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Burk, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) and Wallace—6.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill; and request their concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Congar, the rule requiring the printing of each bill, was dispensed with, in order to take up

The bill entitled,

An act to provide for the services and publication of Notices of Legal Proceedings, in certain cases.

Which motion was agreed to.

Mr. Congar moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill :

Upon its second reading at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill, was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly, in view of the disagreement,

by the Senate, to the amendments made in the House of Assembly to the bill from the Senate, entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to establish Public Schools,"

Have appointed a committee of conference, to confer with a similar committee from the Senate, in reference to said amendment.

And,

That Messrs. Doughty, Boyle, Conover, Beardsley, and Hancox, are appointed such committee.

Mr. Alexander moved to re-consider the vote by which the amendment made in the House of Assembly, to

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was disagreed to.

Which motion was agreed to, and said vote re-considered accordingly.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the "Act concerning Taxes," approved March fourteen, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the committee on Finance.

Mr. Canfield, from the Joint Committee to wait upon the Honorable Daniel Webster, and ascertain at what time he would meet the members of the Legislature in the Assembly Hall, presented the following communication :

TRENTON, March 25, 1852.

To the Hon.

A. O. ZABRISKIE, and SILAS D. CANFIELD,
Of the Senate,

And the Hon.

THOMAS MILLS, WILLIAM BROWN; and E. S. DOUGHTY,
A Committee of both Houses of the Legislature of New Jersey :—

Gentlemen :—

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication, transmitting a Preamble and Concurrent Resolution adopted by the Legislature of New Jersey, that a joint committee of both Houses be appointed to invite me to meet the Senators and Assemblymen of New Jersey in the Assembly Hall ; and ascertain at what time it would be agreeable to me to do so ; and your appointment by the two Houses, respectively, to constitute that committee.

I bow, gentlemen, with profound respect and gratitude, to this Resolution of the Legislature of New Jersey, and have to inform you, that I will present myself, in conformity to this Resolution, before the two Houses, at the Assembly Hall, tomorrow, the twenty-sixth, at 12 o'clock.

I remain, gentlemen,
With entire regard,
Your ob't serv't.

DANIEL WEBSTER.

Which was read, and the Secretary directed to carry the same to the House of Assembly.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 25, 1852.

To the Senate :—

*Mr. President :—*I have this day approved and signed the following bills originating in the Senate :

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the court of Errors and Appeals," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

An act to incorporate the Medford and Tuckerton Turnpike Road Company.

An act to incorporate the Camden and Atlantic Turnpike Company.

An act to authorize the construction of Works for supplying Jersey City, and places adjacent, with pure and wholesome water.

An act for relief of James Sailor.

An act authorizing the construction of a road separate from the route of the New Jersey Railroad, and eastwardly of the Hackensack Bridge, in the county of Hudson.

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting Conveyances," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

An act to incorporate the Weehawken Ferry Company.

An act concerning a certain subscription or loan by the city of Trenton.

An act to authorize heating the State Prison with Steam.

GEO. F. FORT.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed, and have a final reading.

Mr. Bleecker moved that a Committee of Conference be appointed on the part of the Senate, to meet a similar Committee on the part of the House of Assembly, to confer in relation to

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to establish Public Schools," approved April seventeen, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Which was agreed to, and the Chair appointed

Messrs. Bleecker, Rogers, and Sitgreaves, committee of conference on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly of the appointment of said committee of conference, on the part of the Senate.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature, and the Distribution thereof, and the Laws of the United States," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed and have a third reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act making Lands lia-

ble to be sold for the payment of Debts," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended, and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The bill entitled,

An act defining the proceedings of Courts, in cases of erroneous taxation,

Was taken up, and

The amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly, read.

Upon the question of agreeing to the first amendment,

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Greer, Hopper, Mannors, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—7.

So said first amendment was agreed to.

The second amendment was then agreed to.

Upon the question of agreeing to the third amendment,

A motion was made to strike out the same.

The yeas and nays being demanded upon agreeing to said amendment, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burck, Craig, Davis, Hopper, Mannors, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—9.

So said motion to strike out was agreed to.

Mr. Zabriskie moved to insert the following section, as an amendment:

And be it enacted, That the said Courts, in all cases of tax-

ation now before them; upon writs of Certiorari, shall have the same power and authority to grant relief to the prosecutors of said writs in matters of fact and of law, as the Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation are invested with, and shall have power to award or deny to the prosecutors of said writs, as in their judgment the merits of each case may require.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Blecker, Burk, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—11.

So said motion to amend was not agreed to.

The remaining amendments were read and agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed and have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Craig,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate will be ready to go into Joint Meeting for the purpose of appointing two Delegates to meet in the city of Philadelphia, with a Convention of Delegates of the thirteen original States of this Union, on the 4th of July next, and for appointing such state and county officers as may be

necessary, at half past 10 o'clock, A. M., to-morrow, the 20th inst., in the Assembly Room.

Which was read, and agreed to, and

The Secretary directed to inform the House of Assembly of the passage of the same.

Mr. Canfield, from the committee on Finance, to whom had been referred

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes," approved March fourteen, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

And the amendments made to the amendments by the House of Assembly,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Hepper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act to provide for the services and publication of Notices of Legal Proceedings, in certain cases.

Also,

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Also,

The amendments made in the Senate to

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act making Lands liable for the payment of Debts," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And find the same, to be correctly engrossed.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Stigrenaves, and Wallace—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Fithian, and Zabriske—4

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate and widen the Draws in the Bridges over the Hackensack river," passed March three, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight,

Also,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Chingora Dock Company of Keyport," approved February twenty-one, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Hopper moved to re-consider the vote by which

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to incorporate the Newark and Bloomfield Railroad Company,

Was lost on its final passage.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar,

Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Poltall-Rogers, and Sitgreaves—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Burk, and Wallace—2.

So said motion was agreed to, and said vote re-considered accordingly.

The same Senator, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature and the distribution thereof, and the Laws of the United States," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

And find the same to be correctly engrossed.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act making Lands liable to be sold for the payment of Debts," approved April sixteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate, being called up,

Mr. Sitgreaves moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly,

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsell, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabrisbriskie—16.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

Mr. Congar moved a suspension of so much of the twenty fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill of joint resolution be on different days, in order to put

Upon their final passage at this time, all the bills upon the President's table.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature, and the distribution thereof, and the Laws of the United States," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Heppner, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rogers—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

The engrossed bill entitled,

An act to provide for the Services and Publication of Notices of Legal proceedings, in certain cases,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Burk, Mulford, and Potts—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to incorporate the Newark and Bloomfield Railroad Company,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabiskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes," approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended and agreed to, and the amendments were ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act defining the proceedings of Courts in cases of Erroneous Taxation,

And find the same to be correctly re-engrossed.

Mr. Bleecker moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Edmunds Fithian, Rogers, Sitgreaves, and Zabriskie—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—12.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

Mr. Alexander, moved that the Senate do now go into executive session,

Which motion was agreed to.

And after some time spent therein, the Senate again came to order.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes," approved March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty one.

Was taken up and read a second time.

Upon the question of agreeing to the first section,

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, and Greer—2.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Wallace, and Zabriskie—15.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And that the same was correctly re-engrossed, and the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly embodied therein.

Mr. Congar moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question.

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS —Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander—1.

Ordered. That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate has concurred

in the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report:

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report,

That they presented to the Governor for his approval, March twenty-fifth.

No. 109.

An act to incorporate the Woodstown and Penn's Grove Turnpike Company.

No. 103.

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Pemberton Turnpike or Plank Road Company.

No. 81.

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

No. 129.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Woodbury and Camden Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

No. 141.

An act to incorporate the Essex and Hudson Ferry Company.

No. 140.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Brunswick Savings Institution," approved March fifteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

No. 92

An act for the better securing the Property of Married Women,

No. 115.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson."

No. 95.

A supplement to the "Act to regulate and widen the Draws

in the Bridges over the Hackensack River," passed March third, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight.

No. 119.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Chingarora Dock Company, of Keyport," approved February twenty-one, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,

Chairman of Committee of Senate

On motion of Mr. Fithian,
The Senate then adjourned.

FRIDAY, MARCH 26, 1852.

At ten o'clock the Senate met.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act relative to Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds," approved April fifteenth eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act defining the proceedings of Courts, in cases of erroneous Taxation,

Having passed both houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate

Mr. Craig moved to reconsider the vote by which

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes,"
approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,
Was lost on its final passage.

Which motion was agreed to, and said vote reconsidered accordingly.

The following message was received from the Governor,
by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, {
Trenton, March 25, 1852. }

To the Senate :—

Mr. President :—I have this day approved and signed the following bills originating in the Senate :

A supplement to the act entitled "An act respecting Public Schools in the city of Trenton," approved March sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent frauds by incorporated companies."

Supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the town of Belvidere," approved March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-five.

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Trenton," passed March seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson."

An act for the better securing the property of Married Women.

An act to incorporate the Bridgeton and Deerfield Turnpike Company.

An act to authorize the Trustees of the School Fund to sell the lands belonging to the State, at or near the city of Paterson.

A further supplement to an act entitled, "An act to prevent

in certain cases the abatement of Suits, and reversal of Judgments."

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Camden and Philadelphia Steamboat Ferry Company," approved February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and forty-eight.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Passaic Mining and Manufacturing Company."

GEO. F. FORT.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bills from the Senate severally entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act to prevent accidents from the use of Locomotive Engines on Railroads," passed March ninth, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine.

Also,

An act to provide for the collection of Taxes due from Banks and Banking Associations of this State,
Without amendment.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate, entitled,

An act relative to the Lunatic Asylum,

With sundry amendments,

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has agreed to the amendments made in the Senate, to

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act making Lands liable to be sold for the payment of Debts," approved April sixteen, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

And,

That the House of Assembly has adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, (Senate concurring) That a Joint Committee, to consist of two members on the part of the Senate, and three members on the part of the House, be appointed to make suitable arrangements on occasion of the visit of the Hon. Daniel Webster, Secretary of State of the United States, to the Legislature this day.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That Messrs. Vanderpool, Hancox, and Conover, are appointed said Committee on the part of the House.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes," approved March fourteen, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

And find said amendments to be correctly engrossed. ¶

The following Resolution from the House of Assembly,

Resolved, (Senate concurring,) That a Joint Committee, to consist of two members on the part of the Senate, and three members on the part of the House, be appointed to make suitable arrangements on occasion of the visit of the Hon. Daniel Webster, Secretary of State of the United States, to the Legislature this day,

Was taken up, read and concurred in, and

Messrs. Zabriskie and Canfield, appointed a committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Bleecker, from the Committee of Conference upon the part of the Senate, to confer with the committee from the House of Assembly relative to the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to establish Public Schools,"

Reported that the Committees had met and conferred, and that each House adhered to the action had on said bill in the same,

And asked that the Committee might be discharged.

Which report was accepted, and the Committee discharged accordingly.

Mr. Congar presented the petition of Joseph Annin, and others, inhabitants of the township of Plainfield, in the county of Essex, praying the passage of an act of the Legislature of this State, to create a new county of the seven southern townships of the county of Essex, and for that purpose to pass the bill now pending to create the county of Union.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate then took a recess of a few minutes, in order to make nominations for Joint Meeting.

The nominations being finished, the Senate again came to order.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly was now ready to go into joint meeting, and awaited the presence of the Senate in the Assembly Room, and has prepared a list of nominations, which he was instructed to bring to the Senate,

The President and members of the Senate proceeded to the Assembly Room,

And after some time spent in joint Meeting, returned to the Senate Chamber, and came to order.

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature, and the distribution thereof, and the Laws of the United States," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act regulating the proceedings of Courts, in cases of erroneous Taxation,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on passed bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate"

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly, that the Senate is ready to wait upon the House of Assembly, and receive the Hon. Daniel Webster, Secretary of State of the United States.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly awaited the presence of the Senate in the Assembly Room, to receive the Hon. Daniel Webster.

The President and members of the Senate then proceeded to the Assembly Room,

And after some time spent in the reception of Mr. Webster, returned to the Senate Chamber, and came to order.

The Joint Resolution from the House of Assembly entitled,

Joint Resolution, in relation to the Elizabethtown and Seneca Railroad Company,

Was taken up, when

Mr. Davis, moved to indefinitely postpone the same.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Brdsall, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian Greer, Manners (Pres.,) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriskie—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, and Sitgreaves—6.

So said motion was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the further consideration of said bill was indefinitely postponed.

The bill entitled,

A Supplement to the act entitled, "An act to prevent Acci-

deuts from the use of Locomotive Engines on Railroads," passed the ninth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine,

Also,

The bill entitled,

An act to provide for the collection of the Taxes due from Banks and Banking Associations of this State,

Having passed both houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement on each :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate,

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report :

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report,

That they presented to the Governor for his approval, March twenty-sixth,

No. 45.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to the Laws of this State, the proceedings of the Legislature and the distribution thereof, and the Laws of the United States," approved April nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

No. 132.

An act regulating the proceedings of Courts in cases of Erroneous Taxation.

No. 117.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act relative to Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

No. 131.

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate Elections," approved April nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,
Chairman of Committee of Senate.

On motion of Mr. Davis,

The Secretary was directed to request the House of Assembly to return to the Senate, for their further consideration,

✱ The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of Societies for the protection of property," approved March thirteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

The bill entitled,

An act relative to the Lunatic Asylum,

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly.

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed and have a final reading.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes," approved March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie.—14.

NARR.—Messrs. Birdsall, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, and Satterthwaite—5.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the amendments made in the Senate to the bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the Newark and Bloomfield Railroad Company,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

And,

That the House has amended the amendments made in the Senate to

The bill entitled,

An act to authorize the formation of Railroad Companies, and the construction of Railroads,

And have directed me to return to the Senate the said bill, with amendments, requesting the concurrence of the Senate to said amendments.

And,

I am further directed to return to the Senate, at the request of the Senate,

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of Societies for the protection of property," approved March thirteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

Mr. Davis moved to reconsider the vote by which

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of Societies, for the protection of Property," approved March thirteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was lost on its final passage.

Which motion was agreed to, and said vote re-considered accordingly.

Mr. Davis moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act for the formation of Railroad Companies, and the construction of Railroads,

And the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to the amendments made thereto in the Senate, were taken up, read, and disagreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to the amendments made in the House of Assembly, to the amendments made in the Senate to said bill.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

An act relative to the Lunatic Asylum,

And find the same to be correctly re-engrossed.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report :

The Joint Committee on Passed Bills, report,

That they presented to the Governor for his approval, March 26th,

No. 111.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent Accidents from the use of Locomotive Engines on Railroads," passed March ninth, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven:

No. 147.

An act to provide for the Collection of Taxes due from Banks and Banking Associations of this State.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,

Chrm. of Committee of Senate.

Mr. Canfield moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put

The re-engrossed bill entitled,

An act relative to the Lunatic Asylum,

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said re-engrossed bill was then taken up and read a third time,

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Sattarhwaite, and Sitgreaves—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Greer, Potts, and Wallace—3.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly; that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

Mr. Sitgreaves offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That this Senate tender its sincere thanks to the reverend clergy of the city of Trenton, who have voluntarily, during the present session, discharged the duties of chaplain to the Senate.

Which was read, and unanimously agreed to.

The bill entitled,

An act relative to the Lunatic Asylum,

Having passed both Houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon :

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,
Secretary of the Senate.

A sealed message marked "*nominations*," having been received from the Governor, by the hands of Isaac W. Mickle, Esq., his Private Secretary,

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Senate went into executive session,

And after some time spent therein, the Senate again came to order.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 26, 1852.

To the Senate :— •

*Mr. President :—*I have this day approved and signed the following bills, which originated in the Senate, viz :

An act to incorporate the Toms' River and Barnegat Steamboat Company.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Chingarora Dock Company, of Keyport," approved February twenty-one, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

An act to authorize the construction of Works to supply the city of Baterson with water.

A supplement to the "Act to regulate and widen the Draws in the Bridges over the Hackensack River," passed March third, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight.

A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Woodbury and Camden Turnpike Company," approved February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and forty nine.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the New Brunswick Saving Institution," approved March fifteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

An act to incorporate the Essex and Hudson Ferry Company.

An act to incorporate the Mount Holly and Pemberton Turnpike or Plank-Road Company.

An act to incorporate the Woodstown and Penn's Grove Turnpike Company.

An act to incorporate the Prospect Hill Cemetery of Bellville.

A supplement to the act entitled, "An act relative to Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds," approved April fifteenth eighteen hundred and forty-six.

An act regulating the proceedings of Courts, in cases of erroneous Taxation,

A further supplement to the act entitled "Act to authorize the business of Banking," approved February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty.

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate Jersey City," approved March eighteen, eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to regulate Elections," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

GEO. F. FORT.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report :

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report,

That they presented to the Governor for his approval, March twenty-sixth,

No. 145.

An act relative to the Lunatic Asylum.

CHAS. SITGREAVES,
Chairman of Committee of Senate:

Mr. Alexander moved that the applicants for

The bill entitled,

An act to repeal part of an act entitled, "A further supplement to the act entitled, 'An act to incorporate the city of Newark, approved February fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty,'".

Have leave to take their papers from the files of the Senate.

Which motion was agreed to, and the papers returned accordingly.

Mr. Congar moved that when the Senate adjourns, it adjourn to meet again at half past seven o'clock, this evening.

Which motion was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hopper,

The Senate then adjourned.

At half-past seven o'clock, the Senate met.

Mr. Sitgreaves offered the following concurrent resolution :

Resolved, (House of Assembly concurring,) That a committee, consisting of one Senator and two members of the Assembly, be appointed to prepare a bill concerning Taxes, and report the same to the General Assembly of this State, in the first week of the next session of the Legislature.

Which was read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly of the adoption of said concurrent resolution, and request their concurrence.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The joint resolution entitled,

Joint resolution authorizing the State Treasurer to borrow Money.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

There being no quorum present, Mr. Potts moved a call of the Senate.

The Secretary proceeded to call the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered to their names :

PRESENT.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Congar, Craig, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—12.

ABSENT.—Messrs. Burk, Canfield, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Wallace, and Zabriskie—8.

A quorum answering, the Senate proceeded to business.

The Joint Resolution from the House of Assembly entitled,

Joint resolution to authorize the State Treasurer to borrow Money,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Canfield, from the committee on Finance, to whom had been referred the said joint resolution,

Reported the same back to the Senate without amendment.

Mr. Alexander moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put

The Joint Resolution from the House of Assembly entitled,

Joint Resolution to authorize the State Treasurer to borrow money,

Upon its second reading at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said joint resolution was taken up, read a second time, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Alexander moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said joint resolution

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said joint resolution was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this joint resolution from the House of Assembly pass?

It was decided in the affirmative as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Potts—1.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary

carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, without amendment.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bill entitled,

An act to defray Incidental Expenses.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

And,

That the House of Assembly has passed the bill from the Senate entitled,

An act to provide for the services and publication of Notices of Legal Proceedings, in certain cases,

Without amendment.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to defray Incidental Expenses,

Was then taken up, read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The bill entitled,

An act to provide for the services and publication of Notices of Legal proceedings in certain cases,

Having passed both houses,

Was delivered by the Secretary to the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, with the following endorsement thereon:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate."

S. A. ALLEN,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Alexander, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred,

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to defray Incidental Expenses,

Reported the same without amendment.

Mr. Alexander moved a suspension of so much of the

twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill

Upon its second reading at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up, read a second time, and the first sixty-four items considered and agreed to.

The sixty-fifth item being under consideration, as follows :

To each member of the Legislature thirty dollars for incidental expenses, in addition to their per diem allowance.

Mr. Craig moved that the same be stricken from the bill.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Craig, Davis, Greer, and Sitgreaves—4.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Wallace—13.

So said motion to amend was disagreed to.

Mr. Canfield moved to amend the bill by adding an additional item to pay Phillips and Boswell for printing the annual report of the officers of the New Jersey State Lunatic Asylum.

The yeas and nays being demanded on the motion, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Greer, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—8.

So said motion to amend was agreed to.

The bill, was then further considered, amended and agreed to, and the amendments ordered to be engrossed, and the bill to have a third reading.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has reconsidered the bill from the Senate, entitled,

An act to incorporate the Monmouth County Life and Health Insurance Company,

Which had been returned to the Senate by the Governor with his objections, and has disagreed to the same and directed it to be returned to the Senate.

And,

That the House of Assembly adheres to the amendments made by the House of Assembly to the amendments made in the Senate to

The bill entitled,

An act authorizing the construction of Railroad Companies, and the construction of Railroads.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, March 26, 1852. }

To the Senate :—

*Mr. President :—*I have this day approved and signed the following bills, which originated in the Senate, viz :

An act to provide for the Collection of Taxes due from Banks and Banking Associations of this State.

An act relative to the Lunatic Asylum.

A supplement to the act entitled "An act to prevent Accidents from the use of Locomotive Engines on Railroads," passed March ninth, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven.

GEO. F. FORT.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has considered the amendments made in the Senate to

The bill entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes,"

And,

Has passed sundry amendments to the said amendments.
In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to create the county of Union;

Was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Greer, Manners; (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has adopted the following Concurrent Resolution:

Resolved, (Senate concurring,) That a Joint Committee of both Houses, be appointed to wait on the Governor, and inform him, unless he may have further communications to make to the two Houses of the Legislature, the two Houses are ready to close the present session by an adjournment:

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested:

And,

That the House of Assembly has appointed Messrs. Fennimore, Beardsley, and Dickinson, as the committee on the part of the House.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report:

The Joint Committee on Passed Bills, report,

That they presented to the Governor for his approval, March 26th,

No. 148.

An act to provide for the Services and Publication of Notices of Legal proceedings, in certain cases.

CHA'S. SITGREAVES,
Chr'm. of Committee of Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes," approved March fourteen, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

And the amendments made in the House of Assembly to the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up, and the amendments to the amendments read, inserting the words "Bonds and Mortgages," wherever omitted.

Upon the question of agreeing to the first amendment made in the House of Assembly to the amendments made in the Senate,

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Fithian Greer, Hopper, Manners (Pres.,) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—15.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Edmunds, Rogers, and Zabriskie—4.

So said first amendment to the amendments was agreed to.

The second amendment to the amendments made in the Senate was read, and

Upon the question of agreeing to said amendment,

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—8.

So said second amendment made in the House of Assembly to the amendments made in the Senate, was agreed to.

Mr. Davis moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint-resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill on its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—13.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—7.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to the amendments made in the Senate to said bill, and has passed the same.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

A supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning Taxes," approved March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, pass?

It was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Craig—1.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—15.

Ordered, That the Secretary return said bill to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has disagreed to said bill from the House of Assembly.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The amendments made in the Senate to
The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,
An act to defray Incidental Expenses.
And find the same to be correctly engrossed. .

Mr. Alexander moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill from the House of Assembly,

And the amendments made thereto in the Senate,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as amended, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Satterthwaite, and Wallace—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Davis, Mulford, Potts, Rogers, and Sitgreaves—5.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill from the House of Assembly, with sundry amendments, in which amendments the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has disagreed to the concurrent resolution from the Senate providing for the appointment of a joint committee to prepare a bill concerning Taxes, to be reported to the General Assembly of this State in the first week of the next session.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr Naar their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has disagreed to the first amendment made in the Senate, to the bill from the House of Assembly, entitled,

An act to defray incidental expenses.

And has agreed to the remaining amendments, and has directed me to return the bill to the Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to defray Incidental Expenses,

Was taken up, and

Upon the question,

Will the Senate recede from the first amendment made in the Senate to said bill from the House of Assembly?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Zabiskie—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—6.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has *receded* from the first amendment made in the Senate to said bill from the House of Assembly.

Mr. Rogers offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate are due, and are hereby tendered to the Honorable John Manners, for the courteous, dignified, and impartial manner in which he has discharged the duties of President of the Senate, during the present session of the Legislature.

Which was read, and

Upon the question of agreeing thereto, being put by the Secretary,

It was unanimously agreed to by the Senate; whereupon

The President rose and addressed the Senate as follows:

Gentlemen of the Senate:—

This renewed and flattering manifestation of your kind partialities, excites in me emotions which I am not able, by language, to express, and awakens the liveliest sensibilities of my heart.

Allow me to return you my unfeigned thanks for the adoption of the resolution of approval of the discharge of the duties of my station as your presiding officer, as well as for the flattering terms in which that resolution is expressed, and also for your generous aid and liberal indulgence in the discharge of my difficult and arduous duties during the past session.

Our session has indeed been one unparalleled in the annals of our State legislation; whether we consider the amount or the importance of the business claiming our action. It has been one truly distinguished by great labor, and the most arduous and important duties, in which questions of the most grave and vital importance to the whole system of our jurisprudence, and even affecting the sovereignty of our State, and its fundamental laws have been submitted to our deliberation and to our action.

! We have now by unwearied labor, great diligence, and the most untiring perseverance, finished our work. We present the results of our labors to the review of a confiding constituency. How far they will meet the approval of our constituents is not my province to determine. But I feel an abiding confidence in the intelligence, wisdom, and justice of the people, that well meant efforts and labors honestly intended for the public good, will meet with a proper appreciation by an enlightened and virtuous people; and that at least our honesty of purpose, prudent deliberation, and well meant endeavors in the discharge of our respective duties, will shield us from a hasty condemnation. And should experience teach us that our work is not perfect, that we have committed errors in any of our enactments, or omitted in any instance doing that which might seem to have been done for the general welfare, it will be the province of those who are to succeed us in these halls, to correct those errors, and to supply those omissions.

The dignity, harmony, courtesy and good feeling which have so pre-eminently distinguished this session of our Senatorial body, must be a subject of just pride and congratulation to us all. Our daily intercourse in this Hall has been a subject of duty commingled with the highest social enjoyment. Friendships and reminiscences have here been engendered, of the most gratifying kind, and as endearing as life itself; and if an unkind word has been uttered, if one

unkind feeling excited, it has altogether escaped the observation or knowledge of him who has had the honor to preside in this Hall—and I rejoice that the harmony and kindly feelings of this body have not been disturbed by political ebullitions or party strife.

We are now about to separate and return to our constituents and our homes, to enjoy the peaceful scenes of private life, and the social enjoyments of domestic retirement. It is not probable that we shall all of us ever meet again. But it will be to me, however, a source of the most heartfelt delight to meet any or all of my brother Senators, for whom I feel a most fraternal regard at any time or at any place, that the destinies of heaven may direct or permit.

With the most sincere and ardent wishes for your prosperity and happiness, collectively and individually, allow me, Senators, to bid you one and all, a friendly adieu.

Mr. Congar presented the following statement:

*To the Legislature of
The State of New Jersey :*

The subscribers respectfully report to the Legislature, the following statement of the business of the Morris and Essex Railroad Company, for the year ending on December 31st, 1851 :

Received from Transportation of Passengers, ..	
Freight, Mails, Rents, &c., - - - - -	\$139,539 29
Sale of Old Locomotive, - - - - -	1,500 00
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	\$140,039 29

Paid for Salaries, Wages, Repairs, Ma-	
terials, Wood, Oil, Rent, Horse	
keeping, &c., &c., - - - - -	\$77,666 02
On account of New Buildings, &c., - - - - -	1,525 38
“ “ Cars, - - - - -	3,351 32
“ “ Machinery, - - - - -	218 81
“ “ Locomotives, - - - - -	59 90
For Horses, - - - - -	420 00
Due for new 10 wheel Locomotive, - - - - -	10,547 16
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	\$93,768 59
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	\$46,284 70

The cost of the road and its appendages, on January 1st, 1852, - - - - - \$784,581 19

WM. WRIGHT, *President.*

BEACH VANDERPOOL, *Treasurer.*

NEW JERSEY, }
MERCER COUNTY, } ss.

Personally appeared before me, William Wright and Beach Vanderpool, who being by me severally sworn according to law, on their oaths say that the statement within contained is true, according to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to this twenty-fifth day of March, eighteen hundred and fifty-two.

WM. WRIGHT,
BEACH VANDERPOOL.

EDWARD W. WHEEPLY,

Master in Chancery of New Jersey.

Mr. Satterthwaite offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate are due, and are hereby presented to Samuel A. Allen, Secretary of the Senate, for the ability and courteous manner in which he has discharged the duties of his appointment.

Which was read, and unanimously agreed to.

The President returned the acknowledgments of the Secretary therefor.

Mr. Alexander offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate are due, and are hereby tendered to Francis D. Mulford, the Assistant Secretary, for the prompt and efficient manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office.

Which was read, and unanimously agreed to.

The President returned the acknowledgments of the Assistant Secretary therefor.

Mr. Canfield offered the following resolution :

Resolved. That the Sergeant-at-Arms, George T. Smith, and his assistant, Andrew Jackson Cunningham, are entitled to the thanks of the Senate, for the faithful and courteous manner in which they have discharged their duties respectively, during the present session.

Which was read, and unanimously agreed to.

The President returned the acknowledgments of the Sergeant and Assistant therefor.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has agreed to the amendments made in the Senate to

The bill entitled,

An act to defray Incidental Expenses,

And has caused the same to be re-engrossed, and has passed the same.

There being no quorum present, the Secretary proceeded to call the Senate, when the following Senators answered to their names :

PRESENT.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Canfield, Man-

ners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves and Wallace—10.

ABSENT.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, and Zabriskie—10.

No quorum answering, the Sergeant was despatched for absent Senators; and, after a short absence, the Senate again being called, the following Senators answered thereto.

PRESENT.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—20.

ABSENT.—None.

A quorum being present, the Senate again came to order.

Mr. Alexander moved to take up the following concurrent resolution from the House of Assembly:

Resolved, (Senate concurring.) That a Joint Committee of both Houses be appointed to wait on the Governor, and inform him, unless he may have further communications to make to the two Houses of the Legislature, that the Houses are ready to close the present session by an adjournment.

Which was read, and agreed to, and

Messrs Alexander and Congar were appointed a committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in said concurrent resolution from the House of Assembly, and the appointment of said committee on the part of the Senate.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has finished the business before them, and are ready to adjourn *sine die*.

Mr. Alexander, from the Joint Committee to wait upon the Governor and inform him that unless he may have further communication to make to the two Houses of the Legislature, they are ready to close the present session, by an adjournment,

Reported, That they had performed that duty, and,

That the Governor had informed them that he had a communication to make to the House of Assembly in a few minutes.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has adopted the following resolution :

Resolved, (Senate concurring,) That the Resolution of the Senate and General Assembly to adjourn *sine die* on the twenty-sixth of March, be rescinded.

Which was read, and concurred in.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the above Concurrent Resolution, rescinding the resolution to adjourn *sine die* on the twenty-sixth inst.

Mr. Fithian offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourns it adjourn to meet at three o'clock, P. M., on Monday next.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS—Messrs. Bleecker, Canfield, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Satterthwaite—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Hopper, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—10.

So said resolution to adjourn until Monday, was not agreed to.

• Mr. Craig moved that when the Senate adjourns it adjourn to meet again at half past eight o'clock, A. M., to-morrow.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Hopper, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Canfield, Davis, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Satterthwaite—8.

So said resolution was agreed to, and

The Senate adjourned accordingly.

SATURDAY, MARCH 27, 1852.

At half past eight o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Alexander moved that the reading of the journal be dispensed with.

Which motion was agreed to.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr Naar their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly is now ready to adjourn *sine die*.

Mr. Zabriskie moved that the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate is ready to close the present session of the Legislature.

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Manners, (Pres.) Sattarthwaite, and Zabriskie—6.

NAYS —Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Fithian, Hopper, Potts, and Wallace—7.

So said motion to close the session was not agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,

The Senate then adjourned.

At three o'clock the Senate met.

Mr. Canfield moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-third rule, as prescribes that one day's notice shall be given of an intended motion for leave to introduce a bill or joint resolution, in order at this time to ask leave to introduce a bill.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

The same Senator then asked and obtained leave to introduce

A bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Paterson."

Which was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the rule requiring each bill or joint resolution to be referred to a committee, was dispensed with.

On motion of the same Senator, the rule requiring each bill or joint resolution to be printed, was dispensed with.

Mr. Canfield moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said bill

Upon its second reading at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined said bill,

And find the same to be correctly re-engrossed.

Mr. Canfield moved a suspension of so much of the twenty-fifth rule as prescribes that the three readings of a bill or joint resolution be on different days, in order to put said engrossed bill

Upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion was agreed to, and so much of said rule was suspended accordingly.

Said bill was then taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—14.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered, That the President sign said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and request their concurrence.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Naar, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the Governor having returned to the House of Assembly

The bill entitled,

An act to defray Incidental Expenses,

With his objections,

The House has re-considered the said bill, and has passed the same.

And returns the bill to the Senate with the objections of the Governor, requesting the Senate to concur in the action of the House.

The following Message from the Governor was then taken up, read, and ordered to lie on the table.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, March 26, '52. }

To the General Assembly:

I have examined and considered the bill, entitled, "An act to defray incidental expenses," and herewith return the same to your House, in which it originated, for your reconsideration.

The items which compose said bill are sustained by vouchers which appear to be satisfactory, with the exception of the item No. 65, which appropriates the sum of *thirty dollars* to each member of the Legislature for "incidental expenses." There are no vouchers accompanying the bill to sustain an appropriation of this character. In the absence of such evidence, I cannot but regard it as conflicting with that part of the Constitution of this State which limits the compensation of members of the Legislature to a fixed amount to be ascertained by law, and which "shall not exceed the sum of three dollars per day for the period of forty days from the commencement of the session; and shall not exceed the sum of one dollar and fifty cents per day for the remainder of the session."

That incidental expenses of members are a proper subject for an appropriation under any circumstances may well be doubted. Where the amount is limited and reasonable, and has precedent to sustain it, there may be a propriety in allowing it; but where the amount is large, unreasonable, and improbable, the conviction forces itself upon the mind, that it is intended merely to supply the deficiency arising from the failure of the constitutional provision to continue the full pay of three dollars per diem after the end of forty days from the commencement of the session. With these impressions, I am satisfied the provision referred to, conflicts with that part of the constitution above stated.

GEO. F. FORT.

Mr. Davis offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it will adjourn to meet on Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, P. M.

Which was read, and agreed to.

Mr. Mulford offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That so much of the Governors Message as relates to the propriety of an allowance to members for incidental expences, be referred to a committee of three ; with instructions to enquire and report to the Senate, how far the practice is sustained by the action of the preceeding Legislatures since the adoption of the present constitution.

Which was read, and agreed to, and

Messrs. Mulford, Alexander, and Zabriskie, appointed said committee.

There being no quorum present, the Secretary was directed to proceed and call the Senate, when the following Senators answered to their names :

PRESENT.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleeker, Birdsall, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—12.

ABSENT.—Messrs. Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Greer, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—8.

A quorum having been obtained during the call, the Senate again came to order.

On motion of Mr. Zabriskie,
The Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, MARCH 29, 1852.

At three o'clock, the Senate met.

Mr. Mulford, from the Special Committee to whom had been referred the veto message of the Governor, returning

The bill entitled,

"An act to defray Incidental Expenses,"

Presented the following report:—

REPORT

Of the Committee of the Senate on the Governor's Veto of the Incidental Bill.

The special committee, to which was referred "so much of the Governor's message, (of the 26th of March instant), as relates to the propriety of an allowance to members for incidental expenses, with instructions to inquire and report to the Senate, how far the practice is sustained by the action of preceding legislatures, since the adoption of the present constitution," having carefully considered the matters referred to them, and examined the proceedings of preceding legislatures relative thereto, as instructed,

REPORT:

That in the opinion of your committee, the objections made by the Governor, in his said message, to the sixty-fifth item of the bill, entitled "An act to defray incidental expenses," and for which he returned the said bill to the House of Assembly, without his signature, are not sustained, either by the constitution of the state, by the action of the several legislatures which have existed since the adoption of the said constitution, nor by the action of the convention of delegates, that framed said constitution. The correctness of this opinion your committee think, will fully appear from the following statement:

"The "seventh paragraph, fourth section, article fourth, of the constitution of this state," upon which the objections of the Governor are founded, reads thus :

"Members of the Senate and General Assembly shall receive a compensation for their services, to be ascertained by law, and paid out of the treasury of this state, *which compensation shall not exceed the sum of three dollars per day for the period of forty days from the commencement of the session ; and shall not exceed the sum of one dollar and fifty cents per day for the remainder of the session.*"

The language of this paragraph is so plain that it needs no comment. Its only object is to *limit a per diem sum*, to be paid to the members *as a compensation for their services*. It does not undertake, either to forbid the payment of the contingent expenses of members, or to limit, in any way, the sum which shall be allowed for their expenses. The payment of a sum to members, *by way of a compensation for their services*, and the disbursement by the state of the *incidental expenses of the legislature*, are two very different and distinct matters, which the Governor seems to have confounded, through not having examined carefully the language of the paragraph in the constitution, herein-above cited. The *compensation*, the constitution very wisely limited ; the *contingent expenses*, it did not, nor indeed could it have attempted to do so with any show of wisdom.

Never has a legislature convened in the state of New Jersey, but the various kinds of stationery, &c., necessary for the use of its members, have been furnished to them and paid for by the state. No sane man ever thought this to be unconstitutional, and yet it must be so, if the Governor be correct.— Either the constitutional limit of the per diem compensation for services must be confined strictly to those services, or it must cut off *all* contingent and incidental expenses whatever, incurred by the members. There can be no other alternative. The latter construction will scarcely be contended for by any one. Every incidental expense bill is filled with appropriations for such expenses. The conclusion, then, is irresistible—that it is not unconstitutional to provide by law for the payment of the contingent expenses of the members.

Such, your committee apprehend, is the view that has been taken of this subject by every legislature that has been

electd in this state since the adoption of the present constitution, in 1844.

The legislature of 1845, passed a bill allowing three dollars to each member "for postage and newspapers during the session." See pamp. L. 1845, p. 275.

The legislature of 1846, appropriated ten dollars to each member "for incidental expenses during the session," See pamp. L. 1846, p. 176.

The Legislature of 1847, appropriated ten dollars to each member for the same. See pamp. L. 1847, p. 183.

The legislature of 1848, appropriated twenty dollars to each member for the same. See pamp. L. 1848, p. 251.

In 1846, 1847, and 1848, Governor Fort was a member of the state Senate, and drew out of the treasury the several sums thus appropriated to him by the incidental expense bills of those years, for "incidental expenses."

The legislature of 1849, appropriated ten dollars to each member for incidental expenses. See pamp. L. 1849, p. 327.

The legislature of 1851, appropriated twenty dollars for the same to each member. See pamp. L. 1851, p. 476.

And it is worthy of note, that all these bills were approved and signed by the Governor for the time being; those in 1845, 1846, and 1847, by Governor Stratton; those in 1848 and 1849, by Governor Haines, and that in 1851, by Governor Fort. And your committee think that this would not have been done by either of them, had they thought the constitution was being violated thereby. And can it be that it is constitutional to appropriate three, ten or twenty dollars for these purposes, but unconstitutional to appropriate thirty dollars for the same purposes? At what particular penny does the constitutionality of the appropriation cease, and the unconstitutionality commence? Your committee are wholly at a loss to designate that point.

Yet again, by the eighth section of the act entitled "An act to provide for the election of delegates to a convention to prepare a constitution for the government of this state," &c., February 23, 1844, it is enacted, "that there shall be paid to each member of said convention the sum of two dollars *per day*, and to the president thereof, one dollar in addition, for

each and every day that they shall attend the sitting of said convention," &c.

Now, here is just as definite a fixing of the *per diem compensation* of the members of the convention that framed the state constitution, as can be found in said constitution limiting the compensation of members of the legislature. Yet the members of that convention voted five dollars to each member "for postage and newspapers," or, in other words, for incidental expenses. If the Governor be correct in his construction of the constitution, then the same construction must be given to that law, and their vote, giving to each delegate an additional five dollars, must have been in violation of that law. But that body was a body of very intelligent, eminently able, honest and honorable men, of whom the state of New Jersey may well be proud. It cannot be thought that they lacked ability to understand and correctly construe the law which called them together, nor yet that they would violate that law. It can only be concluded, then, that those men understood the design of that law, as your committee understand the design of the constitution, to be confined in its limitation to the compensation of the members for their services, leaving the contingent expenses of the convention and its members in the one case, and of the legislatures and their members, in the other case to be regulated and determined by themselves.

Again, the constitution of the state provides, that the Governor of this state "shall receive for his services a compensation, which shall neither be increased nor diminished during the period for which he shall have been elected." Yet this has never been considered as excluding contingent expenses; and this very bill, which has been returned by the Governor with his objections, provides for the payment of contingent expenses incurred in supplying the Executive with stationery, &c.

If then, the allowance of contingent expenses be in accordance with the action of the preceding legislatures and entirely constitutional, as your committee think it is shown to be, who are the proper judges of the reasonableness and fairness of the allowance made? Your committee think it to be the proper province of the legislature to pass upon this. To them the facts are known and to them the vouchers are submit-

ted. Their decision thereupon is, therefore entitled to respect.

If it be said that thirty dollars is a larger sum than has been thus appropriated in any one preceding year, it should, at the same time, be remembered, that the members of the present legislature have been subjected to expenses, which the members of no previous legislature have been obliged to bear. Your committee instance the change in the postage laws, requiring the members to pre-pay the postage upon reports, and indeed upon all printed matter, which they send to their constituents. More than this, an examination of the length of time, occupied by the session of each legislature, will show that if the allowance were proportioned to the length of the session, in each case, the allowance of thirty dollars for this session would be less than that of twenty dollars in 1848.

Your committee, therefore, in view of all the facts of the case, and being fully satisfied of the constitutionality and propriety of the appropriation objected to by the Governor, do recommend, that the bill returned by the Governor to the House, and by that body sent to the Senate, entitled "An act to defray incidental expenses," being Assembly bill, No. 171, do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. W. MULFORD,
WM. C. ALEXANDER,
A. O. ZABRISKIE, } Committee.

Dated, March 29th, 1852.

On motion of Mr. Congar,

The report of the Committee was unanimously adopted, and 500 copies thereof ordered to be printed for the use of the Senate.

The bill from the House of Assembly entitled,

An act to defray Incidental Expenses,

Having been sent to the Senate from the House of Assembly on the 27th inst., with the Governor's objections thereto, in writing,

Was taken up and considered.

Upon the question,

Shall this bill from the House of Assembly, as returned by the Governor with his objections, pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Wallace, and Zabriskie.—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Sitgreaves—1.

Ordered, That the President certify said bill, the Secretary carry it to the House of Assembly, and inform them that the Senate has passed said bill, and return the same.

Mr. Congar offered the following resolution:

Resolved, (House of Assembly concurring,) That the Senate and General Assembly will adjourn *sine die* on Tuesday March 30.

Which was read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Assembly of the adoption of the said concurrent resolution, and request their concurrence to the same.

On motion of Mr. Fithian,

The Senate then adjourned until 8 o'clock A. M., to morrow.

TUESDAY, MARCH 30, 1852.

At eight o'clock the Senate met.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, March 30, 1852. }

To the Senate:—

I have examined and considered the bill entitled, "A supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Princeton Bank," passed the twenty-seventh day of February, eighteen hundred and thirty-four," and herewith return the same to your House, in which it originated, for reconsideration.

My objections to the bill are founded upon the impolicy of any further legislative grants of special charters for banking purposes. We have a general banking law in practical operation, the provisions of which are liberal, feasible, and comprehensive. Based upon an equality of rights, in regard to the business of banking, and enabling all disposed to do so, to organize and conduct their affairs by its provisions, as well as securing to the bill-holders and creditors the means by which to prevent losses on failure of payment, it unerringly indicates the propriety and policy of requiring all existing banks to comply with said general law.

In my message to the Legislature, at the commencement of the present session, my views upon the subject of banking were presented at length. The necessity of making further provisions for securing the paper issues of all banks, and facilitating their convertibility into ready money, was urged upon the attention of the Legislature. The sound public policy of requiring banking institutions to give fixed, permanent, and reliable security for their extensive and constantly increasing obligations, amounting in this State to some *four or five millions of dollars* in circulating notes, with additional liabilities to a very large amount, must, I think, be apparent. In ordinary transactions among individuals, in the business relations between banks and those to whom they extend credit, satisfactory security is invariably required, especially when the amount of indebtedness is large, and the risk great. Why should not the State adopt means to secure its citizens from losses by the depreciation of bank paper, or the failure of banks? While a bank is well managed, and its affairs are in the hands of honest men, it is admitted that there is a comparative safety for a confiding public; but we have no guarantee that any bank will, throughout her chartered existence,

be thus controlled or provided for. Banks are subject to the same liabilities from mismanagement, imprudence, losses, and the mutations of business as are individuals. Changes in their direction are frequently accomplished by the influence and manoeuvres of designing persons, for speculating purposes, when least suspected. Their circulation is recklessly increased, hazards are incurred, schemes of personal ambition and aggrandizement are contrived, and with unerring certainty, terminate in ruin and bankruptcy. The liability, or even possibility of such results, should induce vigilance and prompt the adoption of measures for public security, in their nature certain and reliable.

The correctness of the principle that full and undoubted security should be given by Banking Corporations which issue notes to be used as currency, is, I think, incontrovertable. The feasibility of carrying out the principle either immediately or prospectively, and in all cases into practical operation, cannot be disputed. It has not only been satisfactorily tested in New Jersey, but in several of her sister states, and must ere long, be adopted in some shape or other, wherever Banks of issue are established. The controlling influence of popular sentiment will be felt, and heeded in every case where the rights and interests of the citizens are involved. Just principles in government and equitable laws in all matters of public concern, will be elicited by the light of truth, a discriminating intelligence, and a correct appreciation of the wants of the body politic arising from such defects in existing regulations as can be safely amended.

Freedom in Banking, with ample security for the circulating notes, has equality, safety, and public benefit to recommend it. Being no longer an experiment, even in this State, the impolicy of granting further special privileges by creating new banks, or extending the charters of existing banks, is presented for the attentive consideration of the Legislature.

There are some defects in our general banking law which will, no doubt, be provided for by judicious legislation. Amendments to the act are needed, more for the public advantage than for the benefit of associations formed under it.

There is nothing in the provisions or operations of the law, which can reasonably deter any individual or association from accepting its privileges and benefits.

Having a law of general application upon our statute book,

under which those who apply for this special favor, may organize with advantage to themselves and the entire safety of the community, I think we should hesitate to grant the application, and defer action thereon until time is afforded to mature a law obliging every special bank within a limited period, or at the expiration of their charters, to comply with the salutary provision of said general law.

In making these objections and indicating my own views in relation to this highly interesting subject, I disclaim all feeling of hostility to this bank or any other similarly organized. Governed alone by my own convictions of duty, and a due regard of what I conceive to be the best interests of the whole community, I am constrained to forego all mere personal or individual incentives, and to return this bill for the reconsideration of the Senate.

GEO. F. FORT.

Which was read and ordered to be entered on the Journal, and the bill to lie upon the table.

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr, their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed

The bill from the Senate entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson,"

With sundry amendments.

In which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

I am also directed to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly, is ready to adjourn *sine die*.

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson."

And the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly,

Was taken up, the amendments read and concurred in, and the bill ordered to be re-engrossed and have a final reading.

Mr. Hopper gave the following notice :

I hereby give notice that I shall, on the first day of the

next session of the Legislature, or as soon as may be, thereafter, ask leave to introduce a Joint Resolution, setting apart Monday and Tuesday of each week, for the consideration of Public Bills, until the same shall be disposed of:

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his private Secretary:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 26, 1852.

To the Senate:—

*Mr. President:—*I have this day approved and signed the following bill originating in the Senate:

An act to provide for the services and publication of Notices of Legal proceedings in certain cases.

GEO. F. FORT.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had examined

The bill entitled,

A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the city of Paterson,"

And find the same to be correctly re-engrossed, and the amendments made thereto in the House of Assembly embraced therein.

Said bill was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question,

Shall this re-engrossed bill pass?

It was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

YAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker Birdsall, Canfield, Davis, Edmunds, Flithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, and Sitgreaves—13.

NAYS.—None.

Ordered. That the President sign said bill, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made in the House of Assembly to said bill, and has ordered said bill to be re-engrossed, and passed the same.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the Joint Committee on Passed Bills, presented the following report :

The joint committee on Passed Bills, report,

That they presented to the Governor for his approval, March thirty,

A further supplement to the act entitled " An act to incorporate the city of Paterson."

A message from the House of Assembly, by Mr. Narr their Clerk, informed the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the concurrent Resolution from the Senate providing for an adjournment of the Senate and General Assembly *sine die*, on Tuesday the 30th March inst.

Which was read, and the Secretary was directed to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate were also prepared to close the present session.

Which duty having been performed by the Secretary,

The members of the House of Assembly, preceded by the Hon. Mr. Speaker Huyler, entered the Senate Chamber, and announced to the President of the Senate that the House of Assembly had adjourned *sine die*.

Whereupon,

On motion of Mr. Potts,

The Senate adjourned *sine die*.

Attest.

S. A. ALLEN. *Secretary.*

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IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.

JANUARY 20, 1852.

The following message, in writing, was received from His Excellency, the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his private Secretary:

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,)
Trenton, January 20, 1852. }**

Hon. JOHN MANNERS,

President of the Senate :—

SIR :—I hereby nominate for appointment, with the advice and consent of the Senate:

**For Judge of the Court of Errors and Appeals,
THOMAS ARROWSMITH.**

**For Chancellor,
BENJAMIN WILLIAMSON.**

**For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court,
LUCIUS Q. C. ELMER,
To succeed Thomas P. Carpenter.**

For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court,
STACY G. POTTS,
 To succeed Joseph F. Randolph.

For Prosecutor of Pleas, of the County of Middlesex,
GEORGE A. VROOM.

For Commissioner of Deeds, &c., in other States, viz :
 State of New York—**JOHN LIVINGSTON**, New York.
 " Louisiana—**WILLIAM SHANNON**, New Orleans.
 " California—**JOHN S. HAGER**, San Francisco.
 " Georgia—**JOHN M. GEWARD**, Savannah.
 " Vermont—**CHARLES T. WILLIAMS**, Rutland.
 Territory Oregon—**EDWARD EVANS**, Olympia.

Very respectfully,

GEO. F. FORT.

(Which was read, and,

On motion of Mr. Potts, it was referred, with the accompanying nominations, to the Committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Executive Session adjourned.

IN EXECUTIVE SESSION,

JANUARY 27, 1852.

Mr Alexander, from the Committee on the Judiciary, presented the following report:

The Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the message of the Governor of the twentieth instant, with the accompanying nominations, beg leave to report the same

to the Senate, and recommend that said nominations be confirmed.

WILLIAM C. ALEXANDER,

Trenton, January 27, 1852.

Chairman.

Which was read.

On motion of the same gentleman, the report, together with the Message of the Governor and the accompanying nominations,

Was taken up.

Mr. Alexander moved that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the nominations accompanying said message.

Which motion was agreed to.

The nominations having been read and considered,

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Thomas Arrowsmith, to be a Judge of the Court of Errors and Appeals, agreeably to the nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—19.

NAYS.—Messrs. Rogers—1.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Benjamin Williamson to be Chancellor of the State, agreeably to the nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk,

Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Silgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—20.

NAYS—None.

So said nomination was unanimously agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Lucius Q. C. Elmer to be Assistant Justice of the Supreme Court, agreeably to said nomination?

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Mulford, the further consideration of the same was postponed for the present.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Stacy G. Potts to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, agreeably to said nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Crag, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Silgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—20.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was unanimously agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George A. Vroom to be Prosecutor of the Pleas of the county of Middlesex.

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hop-

per, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—20.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was unanimously agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John Livingston, at New York, to be Commissioner of Deeds for the State of New York, agreeably to the nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—20.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was unanimously agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William Shannon, to be Commissioner of Deeds for the State of Louisiana, at New Orleans, agreeably to the nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—20.

NAYS.—None.

So said motion was unanimously agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John S. Hager, to be Commissioner of Deeds for the State of California, at San Francisco, agreeably to the nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—20.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was unanimously agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John M. Geward, to be Commissioner of Deeds for the State of Georgia, at Savannah, agreeably to the nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—20.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was unanimously agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Charles T. Williams, to be Commissioner of Deeds for the State of Vermont, at Rutland, agreeably to the nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer,

Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—20.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was unanimously agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Elwood Evans, to be Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Oregon, at Olympia, agreeably to the nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—20.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was unanimously agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the motion of Mr. Alexander, the consideration of the nomination of Lucius Q. Elmer, for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court,

Was again taken up.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Lucius Q. C. Elmer, to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, agreeably to the nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—16.

NAYS.—Messrs. Davis, Mulford, Potts, and Satterthwaite—4.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,
The Executive Session then adjourned.

IN EXECUTIVE SESSION,

FEBRUARY 6, 1852.

The following message was received from his Excellency the Governor, by the hands of Isaac W. Mickle, Esq., his Private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, February 6, 1852. }

Hon. JOHN MANNERS,

President of the Senate :

SIR,—I hereby nominate for appointment, with the advice and consent of the Senate :—

For Attorney General,
RICHARD P. THOMPSON,
Vice, Lucias Q. C. Elmer, resigned.

For Prosecutor of the Pleas of the County of Essex,
JACOB VANARSDALE,
Vice, Benjamin Williamson, resigned.

For Prosecutor of the Pleas of the county of Cumberland,
JOHN T. NIXON.

For Prosecutor of Pleas of the county of Somerset,
WILLIAM THOMPSON,
Vice, John M. Mann, resigned.

For Prosecutor of Pleas of the county of Cape May,
SAMUEL A. ALLEN.

For Commissioner of Deeds, &c.,
State of Missouri—EDWARD W. SHANDS, St. Louis.

Very respectfully,
GEO. F. FORT.

Which was read, and,

On motion of Mr. Bleecker, it was referred, with the accompanying nominations, to the Committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Executive Session then rose.

IN EXECUTIVE SESSION,

FEBRUARY 17, 1852.

Mr. Alexander, from the Committee on the Judiciary, presented the following report:

The Committee on the Judiciary, to which was referred the message of the Governor of the 6th of February, instant, with the accompanying nominations, beg leave to report the same to the Senate.

WILLIAM C. ALEXANDER,
Chairman.

February-17, 1852.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The message of the Governor of the fourth of February inst., was taken up.

Mr. Alexander moved that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of the nominations accompanying said message.

Which motion was agreed to.

The nominations having been read and considered,

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Richard P. Thompson, to be Attorney General of the State, agreeably to the nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—19.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination to adjourn was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of Jacob Vanarsdale, to be Prosecutor of the Pleas of the county of Essex, agreeably to the nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—19.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of

John T. Nixon, to be Prosecutor of the Pleas of the county of Cumberland, agreeably to said nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, and Zabriskie—7.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—10.

So said nomination was not agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do not advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William Thompson, to be Prosecutor of the Pleas of the county of Somerset, agreeably to the nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Brdsall, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—16.

NAYS.—Messrs. Zabriskie—1.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Samuel A. Allen to be Prosecutor of the Pleas of the county of Cape May, agreeably to said nomination?

Being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Sitgreaves, the appointment was postponed for the present.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of

Edward W. Shanks, of St. Louis, to be Commissioner of Deeds, &c., for the State of Missouri, agreeably to said nomination.

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Silgreaves, Wallace and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,
The Executive Session then adjourned.

IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.

MARCH, 12, 1852.

The following message was received from his Excellency the Governor, by the hands of ISAAC W. MICKLE, Esq., his Private Secretary :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Trenton, March 12, 1852. }

Hon. JOHN MANNERS,

President of the Senate :

SIR:—I hereby nominate for aappointment, with the advice and consent of the Senate :—

For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court,
DANIEL HAINES, of Sussex,

To succeed James S. Nevius, whose commission expires on the 15th day of November next.

For Clerk of the Supreme Court,
WILLIAM M. FORCE, of Morris,

Vice, James Wilson, the present incumbent, whose term expires on the 2d day of November next.

For Prosecutor of the Pleas of the county of Mercer,
SAMUEL R. HAMILTON,

Vice, Isaac W. Lanning, whose term expires on the 8th day of November next.

For Prosecutor of the Pleas of the county of Hunterdon,
JOHN F. DUMONT,

Vice, James N. Reading, whose term expires on the 28th day of October next.

For Prosecutor of the Pleas of the county of Morris,
VANCLEVE DALRYMPLE,

Vice, J. J. Scofield, whose term expires on the 28th day of October next.

For Commissioner of Deeds, &c., for the following named States, and places :

State of Ohio—**JAMES PARKER JR.**, Cincinnati.

" South Carolina—**JOSEPH B. KERSHAW**, Camden.

" New York—**JOHN FITCH**, Troy.

" New Hampshire—**WILLIAM B. PARKER**, Portsmouth.

" Maryland—**GEORGE H. HICKMAN**, Baltimore.

" Illinois—**DENNIS MAWBAY**, Toulon,

Vice, James A. Hardenbrook, of Chicago, superseded.

For Commissioners to report amendments of the system of Jurisprudence of this State, and provide for the election of certain officers by the People,

PETER D. VROOM,
ARCHER GIFFORD, and
THOMAS P. CARPENTER.

Under the Joint Resolutions of the Legislature, approved February nineteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-two.

Very respectfully,

GEO. F. FORT

Which was read, and,

On motion of Mr. Potts, it was referred, with the accompanying nominations, to the Committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Executive Session then rose.

IN EXECUTIVE SESSION,

MARCH 17, 1852.

Mr. Alexander, from the Committee on the Judiciary, presented the following report:

The Committee on the Judiciary, to which was referred the message of the Governor of the 12th of March, instant, with the accompanying nominations, beg leave to report the same to the Senate.

WILLIAM O. ALEXANDER,

Chairman.

Senate Chamber, March 17, 1852.

Which was read, and,

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the Executive Session then rose.

IN EXECUTIVE SESSION,

MARCH 25, 1852.

Mr. Alexander moved that the report of the Committee on the Judiciary, together with the message of the Governor, and the accompanying nominations, be now taken up.

Which motion was agreed to.

Mr. Potts moved that all the nominations which expire in October and November next, lie over for the action of another Senate.

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs Alexander, Birdsall, Edmunds, Mulford, Potts, and Zabriskie—6.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, and Wallace—12.

So said motion to lay over was not agreed to.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Daniel Haines, to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, agreeably to said nomination ?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—14.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William M. Force to be Clerk of the Supreme Court, agreeably to said nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Greer, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—11.

NAYS.—Messrs. Burk, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Rogers, and Zabriskie—7.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Samuel R. Hamilton, to be Prosecutor of the Pleas for the county of Mercer?

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—16.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John T. Dumont, to be Prosecutor of the Pleas of the county of Hunterdon?

Mr. Zabriskie moved to postpone the further consideration of the same.

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, and Zabriskie—10.

NAYS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Greer, Mulford, Potts, and Wallace—8.

So said motion to postpone the nomination was agreed to.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Joel Parker, to be Prosecutor of the Pleas for the county of Monmouth? •

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—Messrs. Birdsall—1.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Vancleve Dalrimple, to be Prosecutor of the Pleas for the county of Morris?

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—19.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James Parker, Jr., to be Commissioner of Deeds for the State of Ohio, at Cincinnati, agreeably to the nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John Fitch, as Commissioner of Deeds for the State of New York, at Troy?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Joseph B. Kershaw, as Commissioner of Deeds in the State of South Carolina, at Camden?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hop-

per, Manners, (Près.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—19.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered. That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William B. Parker, as Commissioner of Deeds at Portsmouth, New Hampshire?

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Près.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—18.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered. That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George H. Hickman, as Commissioner of Deeds at Baltimore, Maryland?

The yeas and nays being demanded, thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Près.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—19.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered. That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Dennis Maybey, as Commissioner of Deeds, at Toulon, in the State of Illinois?

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zubriskie—18.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the confirmation of the appointment of the Commissioners to report amendments of the system of Jurisprudence of this State, and to provide for the election of certain officers by the People, was postponed until the next Executive session.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Samuel A. Allen, to be Prosecutor of the Pleas for the county of Cape May, agreeably to said nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zubriskie—18.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Executive Session then adjourned.

IN EXECUTIVE SESSION,

MARCH 26, 1852.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Isaac W. Mickle, Esq., his Private Secretary:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Trenton, March 26, 1852.

To the Senate:—

I hereby nominate for appointment, with your advice and consent:—

For Commissioners of Deeds, &c.:

For New York City,:

JOHN CHETWOOD, Jr.

For Philadelphia City, Pennsylvania,

JAMES OTTERSON, Jr.

For the State of Michigan,

CHESTER GURNEY.

Respectfully,

GEO. F. FORT.

Which was read, and,

On motion of Mr. Alexander, it was referred, together with the accompanying nominations, to the Committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Congar, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with:

Mr. Alexander, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom had been referred the message of the Governor of the twenty-sixth inst., together with the accompanying nominations,

Reported the same, with the recommendation that the nominations be confirmed.

The nominations having been read and considered,

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of

John Chetwood, Jr., as Commissioner of Deeds, for the State of New York, at New York?

The yeas and nays being demanded, thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—19.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James Otterson, Jr., as Commissioner of Deeds, at Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania?

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—19.

NAYS.—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Chester Gurney, as Commissioner of Deeds for the State of Michigan?

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Craig, Davis, Edmunds, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) ;

Mulford, Potts, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, and Wallace—19.

NAYS.—Messrs. Zabriskie—1.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Mr. Alexander moved that the nomination of John F. Dumont, as Prosecutor of the Pleas for the county of Hunterdon, which had been postponed, be now taken up.

Which motion was agreed to.

Upon the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John F. Dumont, as Prosecutor of the Pleas for the county of Hunterdon, agreeably to said nomination?

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, were as follows:

YEAS.—Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Burk, Canfield, Congar, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Wallace, and Zabriskie—17.

NAYS—None.

So said nomination was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the Governor that the Senate do advise and consent to the said appointment.

Mr. Alexander offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the injunction of secrecy be removed from all the proceedings of the Senate in Executive Session; during the present session of the Legislature.

Which was read, and agreed to.

Mr. Alexander offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to prepare a copy of the Journal of the Senate in Executive Ses-

tion, and that it be printed with the Journal of the Senate, by the printer appointed to print the same.

Which was read, and agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,
The Executive Session then adjourned.

Attest.

S. A. ALLEN, Secretary.

MINUTES

OF

THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE JOINT MEETING

OF

THE SENATE AND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OF

THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY:

For the Session of Eighteen Hundred and Fifty-Two.

MINUTES

OF

JOINT MEETING.

IN JOINT MEETING.

The Senate and General Assembly met in Joint Meeting, in the Assembly Room, and proceeded to the choice of a chairman.

Whereupon, the Hon. JOHN MANNERS, President of the Senate, was unanimously elected chairman of the Joint Meeting, and accordingly took the chair, and

SAMUEL A. ALLEN was unanimously chosen Secretary.

Mr. Alexander moved that the Rules of the last Joint Meeting be the Rules of this, until otherwise ordered.

The following are the Rules for the Government of the Joint Meeting :

1. That the election of State Officers, during the present session, be *viva voce*, unless when otherwise ordered.

2. That the Chairman attend carefully to the preservation of order and regularity in transacting the business of the Joint Meeting, and that he shall not engage in any debate, or propose his opinion on any question, without leave of the Joint Meeting.

3. That every member, when he speaks, shall stand up in his place, and address himself to the Chair.

4. That in all debates and proceedings the members observe the strictest decorum, and that if any one use indecent expression, or utter any personal reflections, or otherwise offend herein, he be censured according to the nature and aggravation of the offence.

5. That no debate ensue, or question be put, on a motion, unless it be seconded, when it shall be open to debate, and the same receive a determination by the question, unless it be laid aside by the Joint Meeting, or a motion be made to amend it, to postpone it, or for the previous question.

6. The previous question shall be in this form :—" Shall the main question be now put?" and, unless, decided, shall preclude all amendments and further debate on the main question.

7. If any motion contain more than one simple question, any member may have it divided into as many parts as there are distinct questions, if seconded in his motion.

8. That no member speak more than twice on the same subject in the same debate, without leave of the Joint Meeting.

9. That all questions of order be determined by the Chairman, subject to an appeal to the Joint Meeting, when demanded by four members.

10. That when two or more members rise to speak nearly at the same time, the Chairman shall decide who shall speak first.

11. When any question is stated, and by the Joint Meeting agreed to be put, no member shall be at liberty to withhold his vote without leave of the Joint Meeting.

12. The names of members voting, and for whom they have voted, shall be entered on the minutes; if moved for and seconded, and the yeas and nays shall be entered upon the Journal on every question taken in the Joint Meeting, other than questions of appointment, when moved for and seconded by five members, except the vote be unanimous.

13. That the Joint Meeting may adjourn when the list of nominations is not gone through with.

14. The appointments of re-appointments may be made without resignations or the commissions being expired, if the commissions of persons in office shall expire the same sitting, or within two months thereafter; *provided*, that where a new appointment is made, the persons so appointed shall not be considered as in commission until the expiration of the commission of the former person, whose place it is to supply.

15. That in all questions the Chairman of the Joint Meeting be called upon to vote in his turn as one of the representatives in the Senate or Assembly, but that he have no casting vote as Chairman.

Resignations being called for,

And none being presented,

The Joint meeting then proceeded to take up the list of nominations.

For State Treasurer.

RESCARRICK M. SMITH,

Of Mercer,

Was unanimously elected.

KEEPER OF THE STATE PRISON.

The names of William B. Vanderveer, and Alfred Smith, being nomination for Keeper of the State Prison,

Under the direction of the Chairman, the Secretary proceeded to call the Joint Meeting, when the votes were as follows:

FOR WILLIAM B. VANDERVEER.

Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, Albright, Aller, Applegate, Bennett, Butcher, Campbell, J. B. Clark, J. M. Clark, Cline, Colver, Conover, Crate, Day, Doughty, Fayerweather, Fennimore, Geroe, Haines, Hancox, Hitchner, Huyler, (Speaker.) Jackson, Johnson, S. W. Jones, Kay, Laroe, Lummis, Mayhew, Mills, McKirgan, Napton, Nevius, Shann, Shay, Sherrer, Smock, Stinson, Vandyke, Vansyckle, Ward, Young, and Zabriskie—54.

FOR ALFRED SMITH.

Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, Sat

terthwaite, Zabriskie, Antrim, Beardsley, Bell, Brown, Crowell, Haywood, A. Jones, Munn, Merchant, Swain, Jr., Tatem, and Van Vorst—19.

William B. Vanderveer having received a majority of the votes cast, was declared to be duly appointed Keeper of the State Prison, for the ensuing year.

FOR INSPECTORS OF THE STATE PRISON.

Samuel Woolley, Samuel Kay, William A. Benjamin, Charles Lippincott, and Joseph Cunningham,

Were unanimously elected Inspectors of the State Prison for the ensuing year.

STATE LIBRARIAN.

The names of Sylvester Van Sickle, and William D'Hart, being on nomination for State Librarian,

Under the direction of the Chairman, the Secretary proceeded to call the Joint Meeting, when the votes were as follows:

FOR SYLVESTER VANSICKLE.

Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, Albright, Allen, Applegate, Bennet, Butcher, Campbell, J. B. Clark, J. M. Clark, Gline, Collier, Conover, Crate, Day, Dougherty, Fayerweather, Fennimore, Geroe, Haines, Hancox, Hitchner, Huyler, (Speaker,) Jackson, Johnson, S. W. Jones, Kay, Laroe, Lummis, Mayhew, Mills, McKirgan, Napton, Nevius, Shann, Sherrier, Smock, Stinson, Vandyke, Vansycle, Ward, Young, and Zabriskie—54.

FOR WILLIAM D'HART.

Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Zabriskie, Antrim, Beardsley, Bell, Brown, Crowell, Haywood, A. Jones, Munn, Merchant, Swain, Jr., Tatem, and Van Vorst—19.

Sylvester Vansickle having received a majority of the votes cast, was declared to be duly appointed State Librarian for the ensuing year.

For State Director of the Camden and Amboy Rail Road Company.

The names of Samuel N. Haines, of Burlington, and Henry Hilliard, of Morris, being on nomination for State Director of the Camden and Amboy Railroad Company,

Under the direction of the Chairman, the Secretary proceeded to call the Joint Meeting, when the votes were as follows :

FOR SAMUEL N. HAINES.

Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Pres.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, Albright, Aller, Applegate, Bennett, Butcher, Campbell, J. B. Clark, J. M. Clark, Cline, Collver, Conover, Crate, Day, Dougherty, Fayerweather, Fennimore, Geroe, Haines, Hancox, Hitchner, Huyler, (Speaker,) Jackson, Johnson, S. W. Jones, Kay, Laroe, Lummis, Mayhew, Merchant, Mills, McKirgan, Napton, Nevius, Shann Shay, Sherrer, Smock, Stinson, Vandyke, Vansyckle, Ward, Young and Zabriskie—55.

FOR HENRY HILLIARD.

Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Satterthwaite, Zabriskie, Antrim, Beardsley, Bell, Brown, Crowell, Haywood, A. W. Jones, Munn, Swain, Jr., Tatem, and Van Vorst—17.

Samuel Haines having received a majority of all the votes cast, was declared to be duly elected State Director of the Camden and Amboy Railroad Company, for the ensuing year.

For State Director of the Delaware and Raritan Canal Company.

The names of William G. Steele, of Somerset, and Thomas Milnor of Burlington, being on nomination for the appointment of State Director of the Delaware and Raritan Canal Company,

Under the direction of the Chairman, the Secretary proceeded to call the Joint Meeting, when the votes were as follows :

FOR WILLIAM G. STEELE.

Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, Albright, Aller, Applegate, Bennet, Butcher, Campbell, J. B. Clark, J. M. Clark, Cline, Colver, Conover, Day, Doughty, Fayerweather, Fennimore, Gerœ, Haines, Hancox, Hitchner, Huyler, (Speaker,) Jackson, Johnson, S. W. Jones, Kay, Laroe, Mayhew, Mills, McKirgan, Napton, Nevius, Shann, Shay, Sherrer, Smock, Stinson, Vandyke, Vansyckel, Ward, Young, and Zabriskie.—51.

FOR THOMAS MILNOR.

Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers, Satterthwaite, Zabriskie, Antrim, Beardsley Brown, Crowell, Haywood, A. Jones, Munn, Merchant, Swain, Jr., Tatem, and Vorst—18.

William G. Steele having received a majority of all the votes cast, was declared to be elected State Director of the Delaware and Raritan Canal Company.

The Joint Meeting proceeded to make the following appointments for Judges and Commissioners in the several counties :

ATLANTIC COUNTY..

Appointed, *Judge.*

Phillip Emmel,

*Commissioner for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof
of Deeds, in the township of*

Egg Harbor—David B. Somers.

BERGEN COUNTY..

Appointed. *Judge.*

Samuel H. Berry.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgments and Proofs
of Deeds, in the townships of*

Harrington—Abraham W. Haring..

Washington—Albert J. Terhune.

Saddle River—Samuel Demarest.

BURLINGTON COUNTY.

Appointed, *Judge.*

Joseph J. Budd.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof
of Deeds, in the township of*

Mansfield—Sylvanus Zelley and Moses Wills.

Burlington—Samuel W. Earl.

Medford—Charles Collins.

Southampton—Thomas W. Mairs.

Westhampton—William Woolman, and Levi H. Rogers.

Springfield—Asa R. Foster.

Bordentown—Edward Robbins, and Joshua F. Lane.

Northampton—Thomas J. Sutter.

CAMDEN COUNTY.

Appointed, *Judge.*

William Brown.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof
of Deeds, in the township of*

Newton—Joseph C. Collins.

Delaware—Nixon Davis.

Watsford—Washington Schlosse, and John T. Githens.

Gloucester—Edward Turner.

Winslow—William Peacock.

Camden City, North Ward—David Duffell, Jr.

“ *Middle,* “ Henry Curts.

CAPE MAY COUNTY.

Appointed, *Judge.*

Hezekiah W. Godfrey.

For the unexpired term of Joshua Swain, Jr., elected a member of the Legislature.

Judge.

Ezekiel Stevens.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof
of Deeds, in the township of*

Upper Township—Enoch T. Blackman.

Middle " Page Crawford.

Lower " Andrew H. Stevens.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

Appointed; *Judge:*

Israel Stratton.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof
of Deeds, in the township of*

Downs—Clement F. Lee.

ESSEX COUNTY.

For Judge.

The names of Elias Kirkpatrick, and Caleb H. Andrus, being on nomination for Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, for the county of Essex,

Under the direction of the Chairman the Secretary proceeded to call the Joint Meeting, when the votes were as follows:

FOR ELIAS KIRKPATRICK.

Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Davis, Greer, Hopper, Manners, (Près.) Mulford, Potts, Sitgreaves, Wallace, Albright, Aller, Applegate, Bennet, Butcher, Campbell, J. B. Clark, J. M. Clark, Cline, Colver, Conover, Crate, Day, Doughty, Fayerweather, Fennimore, Geroe, Haines, Hancox, Hitchner, Huyler, (Speaker.) Jackson, Johnson, S. W. Jones, Kay, Laroe, Lummis, Mayhew, Mills, McKirgan, Napton, Nevius, Shann, Shay, Sherrer, Smock, Stinson, Vandyke, Vansyckle, Ward, Young, and Zabriskie—54.

FOR CALEB H. ANDRUSS,

Messrs. Birdsall, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Rogers,

Satterthwaite, Zabriskie, Antrim, Beardsley, Bell, Brown, Crowell, Haywood, A. Jones, Munn, Merchant, Swain, Jr., Tatem, and Vanvorst—19.

Elias Kirkpatrick having received a majority of all the votes, was declared to be duly elected Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, of the county of Essex.

Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgement and Proof of Deeds in the township of

Springfield—Theodore Pierson, Thomas W. Reynolds.

Bloomfield—Robert L. Cook.

Newark, South Ward—Thomas B. Pierson.

“ *Sixth Ward*—John Medcraft.

Clinton Township—Horace Van Houten.

Orange “ Cyrus Baldwin.

Police Justices in the city of Newark.

Seventh Ward—Lyman Kyde.

Fifth “ William C. Ford.

Sixth “ John Medcraft.

West “ David W. Baldwin.

GLOUCESTER COUNTY.

Appointed, Judge.
John R. Sickler.

Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgement and Proof of Deeds, in the township of

Woolwich—John B. Hilliard.

HUNTERDON COUNTY.

Appointed, Judge.
Isaac G. Farlee.

Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgement and Proof of Deeds, in the township of

Tewksbury—Joseph Bartles, and Frederick Appgar.

Readington—David B. Schamp.

Lebanon—David Neighbor.
Clinton—Michael Shurts.
Delaware—Jeremiah Smith.
Borough of Lambertville—Ingham Coryell.

HUDSON COUNTY.

Appointed, *Judge.*
 Samuel M. Chambers.

For the unexpired term of
Judge.
 Samuel Browning.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgement and Proof
 of Deeds, in the township of*

Jersey City, First Ward—George W. Cassedy, and Jacob
 R. Wortendyke.

" *Second* " George E. Catler.

" *Third* " Edward W. Kingsland.

" *Fourth* " John A. Ryerson, and Stephen
 Garretsen.

MERCER COUNTY.

Appointed, *Judge.*
 Israel Pearce.

For the unexpired term of
Judge.

Aaron S. Vankirk.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgement and Proof
 of Deeds, for the township of*

Nottingham—Samuel Wooley, and Joseph Ashmore, Jr.

East Windsor—Israel O. Voorhees, and Runey R. Forman.

West Windsor—William G. Bergen.

Lawrence—Henry Vancleve.

Hopewell—John H. Philips.

Trenton, First Ward—Richard Brandt.

" *Second* " Robert Waddell, John B. Anderson,
 and William G. Reed.

Trenton, Third Ward—Charles Sutterley, and Jacob Bodine.

" *Fourth* " James K. Smith, Samuel Stafford,
and Arthur W. Vanderveer.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

Appointed, *Judge.*

Abraham Provost.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgement and Proof
of Deeds, in the townships of*

North Brunswick—Frederick Stultz.

South Amboy—Samuel Freeman.

Monroe—Thomas Hoffman.

Piscataway—Bethnel Ward.

MONMOUTH COUNTY.

Appointed, *Judge.*

William P. Forman.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof
of Deeds, in the townships of*

Freehold—Tunis V. D. Conover.

Atlantic—Levi Scobey.

Wall—John B. Gifford, and Robert Laird.

Howell—Silas Newman.

Millstone—Hartshorn Tantum.

MORRIS COUNTY.

Appointed, *Judge.*

Joseph Dairimple.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof
of Deeds, in the townships of*

Hanover—Richard V. W. Fairchild.

Pequannock—Edmund R. Sergeant.

OCEAN COUNTY.

Appointed, *Judge.*

[David J. C. Rogers.

PASSAIC COUNTY.

Appointed,

Judge.

Henry P. Simmons.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgement and Proof
of Deeds in the township of*

Manchester—David Alyea.

West Milford—William A. Pulis.

SOMERSET COUNTY.

Appointed,

Judge.

Leonard Bunn.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgement and Proof
of Deeds, in the townships of*

Bridgewater—Alfred Cammann.

Franklin—Jacob Wyckoff.

Bedminster—Frederick R. Kennedy.

Branchburg—Peter R. Hall.

SALEM COUNTY.

Appointed,

Judge.

James Newell.

SUSSEX COUNTY.

Appointed,

Judge.

Guy Price.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgement and Proof
of Deeds, in the townships of*

Byram—Nathan Smith.

Green—John Hardin, and Samuel H. Hunt.

Lafayette—Hazelet Slater.

Frankford—Zacariah H. Price.

Vernon—Richard Edsall.

Montague—Jacob Hornback, Jr.

WARREN COUNTY.

Appointed,

Judge.

John Moore.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof
of Deeds, in the township of*

Phillipsburgh—Garret A. Cook, and Valentine Mutchler.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,
The Joint Meeting then rose.

IN JOINT MEETING.

MARCH 26, 1852.

At half-past ten o'clock, the Senate and General Assembly met in Joint Meeting, in the Assembly Room, and proceeded to the choice of a chairman.

Whereupon, the Hon. John Mannors, nominated the Hon. JOHN HUYLER, chairman of the Joint Meeting.

Which nomination was unanimously agreed to, and
The Chairman took his seat accordingly.

On motion of Mr. Napton,
S. A. ALLEN, Secretary of the Senate, was unanimously
chosen Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Satterthwaite,
The Rules of the last Joint Meeting be the Rules to govern
the present.

Resignations having been called for,

Mr. Wallace presented the resignation of John R. Louderback, as Commissioner of Deeds for the township of Upper Penn's Neck, in the county of Salem

Which was read, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the same be accepted.

Mr. Zabriskie presented the resignation of Garret G. Ackerson, as Commissioner of Deeds, for the township of New Barbadoes, in the county of Bergen.

Which was read, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the same be accepted.

Mr. Crate presented the resignation D. W. Barker, as Commissioner of Deeds, for the township of Mansfield, in the county of Warren.

Which was read, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the same be accepted.

Mr. McKirgin presented the resignation of William B. Douglass, as Special Police Justice of the Fifth Ward of the city of Newark, in the county of Essex.

Which was read, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the same be accepted.

Mr. Alexander asked and obtained leave to nominate the Hon. Joseph W. Hancox for a delegate to the National Monumental Convention at Philadelphia.

The Joint Meeting then proceeded to take up the list of nominations.

Mr Vanderpool asked and obtained leave to add to the list of nominations for delegates to the National Monumental Convention, to meet at Philadelphia, the names of James Miller, and William Wright, of Essex.

FOR DELEGATES TO THE CONVENTION AT PHILADELPHIA.

On motion of Mr. Canfield, the

Hon. William C. Alexander, of Mercer, was unanimously elected a Delegate to the National Monumental Convention, to meet at Philadelphia, on the Fourth of July next.

The names of Edwin R. V. Wright, of Hudson; Abraham O. Zabriskie, of Hudson; Joseph W. Hancox, of Hudson; James Miller, and William Wright, of Essex; being on nomination for Delegates to the National Monumental Convention, to meet at Philadelphia, on the 4th of July next.

Mr. Vanderpool asked and obtained leave to withdraw the name of William Wright, of Essex.

Under the direction of the Chairman, the Secretary proceeded to call the Joint Meeting, when the votes were as follows:

FOR EDWIN R. V. WRIGHT:

Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Greer, Mulford, Potts, Wallace, Applegate, Butcher, Campbell, J. B. Clark, Conover, Doremus, Doughty, Fayerweather, Fennimore, Gerroe, Haines, Hancox, Hitchner, Johnson, Kay, Laroe, Lunmis, Mayhew, McKirgan, Napton, Nevius, Shann, Shay, Sherrer, Smock, Stinson, Vandyke, Vansyckel, and Ward—36.

FOR ABRAHAM O. ZABRISKIE.

Messrs. Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Antrim, Beardley, Bell, Boyle, Brown, J. M. Clark, Cline, Crowell, Dickerson, Haywood, Jackson, Munn, Merchant, Mills, Swain, Jr., Tatem, and Zabriskie.—26.

FOR JOSEPH W. HANCOX.

Messrs. Alexander, Davis, Aller, Bennet, Colver, Crate, Huyler, Sanford, and Young—9.

FOR JAMES MILLER.

Messrs. A. O. Zabriskie, and Vanderpool—2.

Forty votes being necessary to a choice, and no person having received that number, the Chairman decided there was no election.

Under the direction of the Chairman, the Secretary proceeded to call the Joint Meeting, when the votes were as follows:

Mr. Vanderpool asked and obtained leave to withdraw the name of James Miller.

Mr. Hancox asked and obtained leave to withdraw the name of Joseph W. Hancox.

FOR EDWIN R. V. WRIGHT.

Messrs. Burk, Craig, Greer, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Wallace, Applegate, Bennett, Butcher, Campbell, J. B. Clark, Cline, Collyer, Conover, Crate, Doremus, Doughty, Fayerweather, Geroe, Haines, Hancox, Hitchner, Johnson, Kay, Laroe, Lummis, Mayhew, McKirgan, Napton, Shann, Shay, Smock, Stinson, Vandyke, Vansyckle, Ward, and Young—38.

FOR ABRAHAM O. ZABRISKIE.

Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Aller, Antrim, Beardsley, Bell, Boyle, Brown, J. M. Clark, Crowell, Dickerson, Fennimore, Haywood, Huyler, (Speaker,) Jackson, Munn, Merchant, Mills, Nevius, Sanford, Sherrer, Swain, Jr., Tatem, Vanderpool, and Zabriskie—35.

Forty votes being necessary for a choice, and no person having received that number, the Chairman decided that there was no election.

Under the direction of the Chairman, the Secretary proceeded to call the Joint Meeting, when the votes were as follows:

FOR EDWIN R. V. WRIGHT.

Messrs. Burk, Craig, Greer, Mulford, Potts, Wallace, Applegate, Bonnet, Butcher, Campbell, J. B. Clark, J. M. Clark, Collyer, Conover, Dickerson, Doremus, Doughty, Fayerweather, Geroe, Haines, Hancox, Hitchner, Huyler, (Speaker,) Jackson, Johnson, Kay, Laroe, Lummis, Mayhew, McKirgan, Napton, Shann, Shay, Smock, Stinson, Vandyke, Vansycle, Ward, and Young—39.

FOR ABRAHAM O. ZABRISKIE.

Messrs. Alexander, Bleecker, Birdsall, Canfield, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Allen, Autrim, Beardsley, Bell, Boyle, Brown, Cline, Crate, Crowell, Fennimore, Haywood, Munn, Merchant, Sanford, Sherrer, Swain, Jr., Tatem, Vanderpool, and Zabriskie—31.

Forty votes being necessary to a choice, and no person having received that number, the Chairman decided that there was no election.

Under the direction of the Chairman, the Secretary proceeded to call the Joint Meeting, when the votes were as follows:

FOR EDWIN R. V. WRIGHT.

Messrs. Bleecker, Burk, Craig, Greer, Hopper, Mulford, Potts, Wallace, Applegate, Butcher, Campbell, J. B. Clark, J. M. Clark, Colver, Conover, Crate, Dickerson, Doremus, Fayerweather, Fennimore, Geroe, Haines, Hancox, Hitchner, Huyler, (Speaker,) Jackson, Johnson, Kay, Laroe, Lummis, Mayhew, McKirgan, Napton, Nevius, Shann, Shay, Sherrer, Smock, Stinson, Vandyke, Vansyckle, Ward, Young, and Zabriskie—44.

FOR ABRAHAM O. ZABRISKIE.

Messrs. Alexander, Birdsall, Congar, Davis, Edmunds, Fithian, Manners, (Pres.) Rogers, Satterthwaite, Sitgreaves, Aller, Antrim, Beardsley, Bell, Bennett, Boyle, Cline, Crowell, Haywood, Munn, Merchant, Sanford, Swain, Jr., Tatem, and Vanderpool—25.

Edwin R. V. Wright, having received a majority of the whole number of votes, was declared to be elected a Delegate to the National Monumental Convention, to meet at Philadelphia, on the Fourth of July next.

Mr. Conover moved to suspend the rules in order to present the verbal resignation of Joseph McGee, as a Commissioner for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds, for the township, Manalapan, of Monmouth.

The motion was decided not to be in order.

Mr. Alexander then moved to suspend the rules that require a written resignation, in order to permit the gentleman to make his motion.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Conover moved to suspend the rules, in order to present the verbal resignation of Joseph McGee, as Commissioner of Deeds, for Manalapan.

Which motion was agreed to.

The same gentleman then presented the resignation of Joseph McGee, as Commissioner, &c.

Which was agreed to, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the same be accepted.

BERGEN COUNTY.

Commissioner for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds, in the township of

New Barbadoes—Simeon Zabriskie.

BURLINGTON COUNTY.

Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgement and Proof of Deeds, for the township of

Pemberton—William Manlsbury.

Shamong—Amos Taylor, William H. Keeler, Wesley De
cow.

ESSEX COUNTY.

Commissioner for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds, in the city of

Newark, East Ward—Horace N. Congar.

Police Justice in the city of Newark.

Fifth Ward—William O. Ford.

HUNTERDON COUNTY.

Commissioner for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds, in the township of

Franklin—Henry S. Trimmer.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

Commissioner for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds, in the township of

South Amboy—Lazarus W. Johnson.

MONMOUTH COUNTY.

Commissioner for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of Deeds, in the township of

Manalapan—Benjamin Dey.

MORRIS COUNTY.

*Commissioner for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof
of Deeds, in the township of*

Jefferson—Horace Chamberland.

WARREN COUNTY.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof
of Deeds, in the township of*

Mansfield—Joseph Karr.

Greenrich—William R. Leigle.

SALEM COUNTY.

*Commissioners for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof
of Deeds, in the townships of*

*Upper Penn's Neck—John R. Louderback, and Joseph
Humphreys.*

Pittsgrove—Henry Kaudle.

Lower Penn's Neck—James E. Dunham.

Lower Alloway's Creek—William Waddington

SUSSEX COUNTY.

*Commissioner for taking the Acknowledgment and Proof of
Deeds, for the township of*

Byram—Ira K. Johnson.

Vice, Nathan Smith, deceased.

*On motion of Mr. Potts,
The Joint Meeting then rose.*

Attest.

S. A. ALLEN, Secretary.

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